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ANDALUSIA

John Beringer was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Alfred Kirk wears a broad smile. It's because it's a girl.

Mrs Rod Fries has returned from a visit to her parents.

A coat of paint greatly improves the Andalusia postoffice.

May Rod and Leahnora Fries have returned from a long vacation.

Miss Bertha Keplar has returned from a two-weeks' stay in Doylestown.

Charlie Fries was taken very ill with spasms while visiting in Doylestown.

Mrs. Richard Davies has gone to Atlantic City for the benefit of her sick baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barton, of Nothingham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Weiss.

Miss Edith L. Brown entertained Dr. and Mrs. Wilt, of Philadelphia, on Thursday.

Mrs. William Hudson had for her guests this week Mr. Hudson's only brother and wife.

Miss Blossy Meade entertained thirty-four young lady and gentleman friends on last Saturday.

Little Emma, Ethel and Mark Morris were in the village visiting their many little friends one day this week.

We are very sorry to hear of Gregory Meade's accident on Saturday. While at his work he had three fingers crushed and one broken.

Miriam and Raymond Eckert and Arnold Weiss spent a very pleasant afternoon along the shores of the Delaware. They will soon be expert swimmers.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs Harry Corson died on Thursday evening. Mr Eastman baptised him in the morning. He was buried in the Oak Lane Baptist Church.

A man may be his own grandfather. A widower marries the daughter of a widow, and his son marries the widow, thereby becoming father-in-law to his own father, and grandfather to himself.

However miserable you may think yourself you would not part with that misery for the happiness of any one else, if at the same time you must part with your own self for theirs. Not Solomon with all his glory in the happy days of his youth when God gave him his heart's desire, would tempt you to do it. If so be you thus love your own soul let us think what it would be if God should take it from you.

There are millions upon millions of chances that you might have been born some where else and in some other time rather than here, and now how strange it was then that you should have met with any particular person of whom you may think. But God brought you and that person together for some reason known only to Himself; brought you as it were into the same family existing at the same time on the same earth.

Sator arepo teret opera rotas. If you translate the above sentence you will find it good sense and as it stands it reads the same way backwards as forwards. The first letters of each of the five words spell the first word in the sentence. The second letters the second word and so on. In the same way if you begin at the end you still spell all the words. This is a very difficult thing to do as you will soon convince yourself by trying to construct a similar sentence.

There are those who think they ought to be good to their own families but not particularly so to anyone else, but there must be some mistake about this because who was it made your family your own? It was God who made your own family nearer to you than any other. Has He not in the same way made all the families on earth nearer to you than any other creatures who exist in other worlds? If there is any reason why you should love your own family the same reason will hold good for all who bear the same nature as you do.

"The dust returns to the earth as it was but the spirit returns to God who gave it." Will it come back on the resurrection morning or will it never return to those who "rise to shame and everlasting contempt?" Will God entrust it again to those who have failed to know its value? We do not know but we do know there is no meaning to our Saviour's words "what shall a man give in exchange for his soul" if we cannot otherwise than possess that soul. There is no meaning, no need for this fearful warning, unless there is danger it may be taken from us. What the soul is we do not know and what the body is we do not know, and whether they can exist apart we do not know, but that there is a meaning to language we know right well, and however you may twist it and turn it you cannot make our Saviour's words to mean nothing. But we can easily understand that the loss of the soul means the loss of knowledge of love and of all things worth having and losing the soul cannot mean still possessing it.

BRIDGEWATER.

H La Due started by trolley on Monday last week for New York. Herbert says he can make good money playing ball there, which is more than a fellow can do here, O. K.

Some of our citizens got a big surprise 1 day last week when a gang of foreigners started to work in making a Telford road on the pike. Bristol, take a hint. Go and do likewise.

Rev. Forrest E. Dager, D. D. will occupy the pulpit at the Eddington Presbyterian Church on Sunday, July 31. Dr. Dager is 2 well known in these localities 2 require any comment.

The Cornwells M. E. Church held a lawn social on Saturday evening, the 23d, on their grounds at Maud. Some 1 hit the janitor in the I with a peanut and he got as mad as thunder and threatened to clean up the crowd, which was not very large.

Will Pike, who got hit sometime ago in the I with a baseball and came near losing it, is O. K. again. As we have so very few young men and girls in our midst we cannot afford to see any of them injured. It is very dangerous to be around Indians when they are playing ball.

The Ladies' Aid Society held its annual mid summer T and bazaar on the lawn of the Eddington Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening, July 21. We noticed a great many of our citizens from Bristol, which is a small village a few miles from Philadelphia, were present. It was a big success, alright.

Jim Madison, who puts shoes on horses and fixes up the T. C. for the trolley company, has a good talking machine all right. Jim amuses his colored brethren by playing such popular selections as "Mr. Blackman," "Possum Pie," "I've Got a White Man Working for Me." A good talking machine can say more in an hour than a dozen neighbors and, by crickety, that's talking some.

Spiritualists Camp Meeting.

Parkland Heights Spiritualists' Camp Meeting. Come every Sunday to hear good speaking and tests at 10.30 a. m., and 2.30 p. m. Dancing in the pavilion every Saturday evening. Good music. 7-14-4t

HULMEVILLE.

Miss Rae Goheen has been visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Arna Polsenberg is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

William Quinlan is visiting his sister in Philadelphia this week.

William Walton, Jr., spent last week with relatives in Salem, N. J.

James Madison Force and wife spent Sunday with relatives in Bristol.

Charles Yeagle, of Bristol, was visiting J. G. Laros and family on Sunday.

Miss Nellie Magill was visiting friends in Bristol on Saturday and Sunday.

George Harrison and family spent Saturday and Sunday at Atlantic City.

Mrs. S. E. Hibbs is at Rutledge, Pa., visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Geil.

Mrs. Sarah McElwee spent a few days last week with relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Ella K. Ashby, of Burlington, is visiting Mr and Mrs. William Barkley.

Thomas Shatt and sister, Erela, spent last week with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr Jackson, of Philadelphia, was visiting Gustav Schultz and family on Sunday.

Franz Schoenfeld is spending a couple of weeks with his daughter at Atlantic City.

Many of the farmers in this vicinity have finished harvesting their hay and grain.

Walter Smith, of Jersey City, was visiting his mother, Mrs. Sarah Smith, on Sunday.

Miss Rae R. Vandergift, of Bristol, was visiting Joseph R. Oliver and family last week.

Miss Jessie Brunner, of Andalusia, was visiting relatives and friends about town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barton, of Bristol, were visiting Joseph Williams and family on Saturday

Mrs. Budd and Mrs. William Severns, of Trenton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Rachel Noon

H Louis Moeser has improved the appearance of his store building by painting the roof thereof.

Mr. and Mrs John P. Curran, of Philadelphia, were visiting Ewald Reetz and family last week.

Miss May, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs Vansant, of Grenoble, are visiting J. R Oliver and family.

Mrs. Mary Kilian returned last week from a visit to her old home at Scottdale, Pa, near the Ohio state line.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and daughter, of Lambertville, were visiting Postmaster George Douglass on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Worrell, of Kennett Square, who have been visiting L. A. Ridge and family, returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. John Betz, of Bristol, and Mrs. Lizzie Jackson, of Tacony, were visiting friends about town on Saturday afternoon.

Agricultural Machine Agent John Barber, of Trevose, was a business visitor about town on Thursday afternoon of last week.

Rev. R. J. McBeth and family have been spending a few days at Bridgeton, N. J., as the guests of S. C. Johnson and family.

M. E. Church Services—Bensalem—Preaching at 10.45 a. m. Neshaminy—Sunday school at 2.30 p. m., preaching at 6.45 p. m.

Mrs. Sarah Stoner and daughter, Mrs. Samuel J. Illick, and Miss Charlotte Ely spent Friday with Benjamin Yerkes and family in Trenton.

The Married Women's Club had another outing at Hulmeville Park one day last week. The club is rapidly growing in favor among the staid matrons of this vicinity.

William J. Keen, the hustling agent of the Prudential Life Insurance Co., is very much in evidence about town nowadays. Joe is making a success of his chosen lifework.

There is considerable speculation among our citizens as to whether the recent rule of the Board of Health imposing a tax of 50 cents per head on all hogs kept in the borough will be enforced.

Great preparations are being made for the Odd Fellows' reunion and picnic to be held at Hulmeville Park on Saturday, August 20. The committee in charge promises a good time on that occasion.

The Epworth League of Neshaminy M. E. Church will hold a picnic at Willow Grove Park on Saturday, July 30. All members and friends are invited. Train will leave Langhorne Station at 2.46 p. m.

The monthly business meeting of the Epworth League will be held on Monday evening, August 1, at the residence of Charles MacCorkle on Main street. The Board of Stewards will meet at the same time and place.

Mrs. Joseph Schmieder, who was so severely burned by the explosion of a gasoline stove a few weeks ago, still suffers excruciating agony as a result of the accident. The physician has hopes of her ultimate recovery.

Miss Anna Wirth, who has been living with her uncle, Adam Markrgaf, for about two years, was summoned to her home in Germany, owing to the serious illness of her mother. She sailed from New York City on Tuesday of last week. Miss Alma Markrgaf accompanied her as far as New York City.

There seems to be a growing sentiment in this vicinity in favor of the nomination and election of Joseph S. Thomas, the popular young newspaper man of Bristol, as a member of the Assembly from the Lower District of Bucks county. Joe is a man well qualified to perform the duties that would be required of him as a member of the Lower House of the Legislature, and we say, with many others, "Success be with you, Joe! Go ahead and win."

Now that Bensalem and Middletown townships have made a very substantial move in the matter of good roads, would it not be well for our citizens to take steps looking to the macadamizing of Trenton avenue, thus making the stone road continuous from Philadelphia to the Falls township line? It is a matter worthy of earnest consideration. Our borough fathers would do well to enact legislation with this object in view. If a change of borough charter is needed give the voters a chance to decide the question.

Much unfavorable comment has been heard from many of the taxpayers of Hulmeville as a result of some recent improvements (?) that have been made to certain streets about town by the Street Committee of Town Council. On Green street a new stone curbing has been laid and a gutter nearly a foot deep has been dug at the side thereof. The improvement would have been all right were it not for the fact that the committee, failed to provide a means for the water to run out of the gutter. After a heavy rain the gutter remains full of water in sufficient quantity to maintain a duck pond. The committee should use more discretion in the matter of street improvements

LANGHORNE.

Mrs. Jonathan Leedom will spend the month of August in the mountains.

Mrs. John Boyland, of Philadelphia, was a recent guest of Mrs. John Scott.

Tennis and croquet are again in favor with the lover of games in Langhorne.

A vaudeville entertainment is booked for Saturday evening at the Country Club.

Miss George Storrs Grigg, of Philadelphia, has been visiting friends in the town.

Miss Gatchell and Miss Weaver, of Philadelphia, were recent guests of Mrs. Robert Ivins.

Miss Lizzie Flowers has returned to Cramer Hill after a prolonged visit to Mrs. Thomas K. Flowers.

Milnor Wildman, of Morrisville, has been spending several days with his grandmother, Mrs. Joseph Milnor.

There will be a euchre given at the B. C. C. C. on Friday by the guests of the Bellevue for the benefit of the Samaritan Hospital.

Winder Williamson, from Fort Riley, Kansas, is home on a furlough after three years. It is most likely he will enlist again for another three years' of service.

The community is shocked over the sudden death of David J. Matlack, who died early on Tuesday morning after a several hours' illness. He is survived by his wife and several children, George, William and Howard Matlack, Mrs. Matilda Greger, Mrs. Pierson S Fretz and Mrs. Levi P. Baines.

Twenty couples entered heartily into the "German" at the Bucks County Country Club on Saturday evening, which was led by Allen R Mitchell and Miss Mabelle Schober; Miss May W. Gillam and Laird Schober comprising the Committee of Arrangements. Several mirth producing features were introduced which interspersed with the prettier and more familiar figures, gave an added spice to the evening. The "dummies" as a consolation to the unsuccessful wooer of favor, created much merriment as they glided by. These "silent partners" were very popular. The Casino was most attractive in gala attire of red and white, the musicians piping their sweet notes behind the sheaves of wheat. To partially defray expenses Mrs. George P Schober contributed an immense basket of candies and fruit, which returned $38 by the raffle. Horace G. Mitchell held the winning ticket.

ATTLEBORO

Miss Annie Lentz was a visitor in Philadelphia on Monday.

Mrs. John Briggs, of Bristol, is visiting her neice, Mrs. Louis M. Carter.

Mrs. John Briggs and niece, Emily B. Carter, spent Monday in Bristol.

Miss Maud Thompson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Webster Melcher, has returned home.

Mrs. Elmer Froelich and Mrs. Mary Smith, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Cutler.

The young son of one of the families boarding at Edward Wenlock's by the name of Turner was thrown out of the wagon by the horses starting and had his arm broken above the elbow.

There will be English services under the auspices of the Evangelical Lutheran Church at Goheen's Hall, opposite Eden postoffice, Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock. Sunday school at 9 30 a. m.

The Sunday school of St. James Chapel held its annual picnic last Wednesday week at Hulmeville Park. Quite a large crowd assembled. In the afternoon the school and friends were treated to ice cream and cake.

NEWPORTVILLE

Mrs. Dugan gave a dance at the hotel on last Friday.

The Bromley Wharton club will play at Fallsington on Saturday.

What's the matter with Bloomsdale? Newportville is anxious about the challenge sent the seedsmen for a baseball game. We would like to arrange a game with the Bristol A. A.

The Bromley Wharton baseball club, of this place, kept unbroken its string of victories on Saturday by defeating the Corona Kid team, of Bristol, by the score of 13 to 1. It was the tenth straight victory for the villagers. The following is the score:

										R.	H.	E.
Newportville,	7	0	0	1	2	1	1	1	x	—13	18	2
Corona,	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1	5	3

The home team was lined up as follows: Vansant, cf; Bowers, lf; Vandegrift, ss; Fleckenstine, 1b; Headley, 2b; Hoover, 3b; Hanson, c; Stack, rf; Snyder, p; Vandergift, p. Fayne did the umpiring.

OXFORD VALLEY.

Miss Edna Spencer is spending a week at Ocean City.

Mrs. C. C Wildman has been quite ill during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Strading entertained a few of their friends on Friday evening.

Miss Mary Kane, of Morrisville, has been visiting Miss Bessie Wright during this week.

The special services announced for last Sunday were not held, presumably on account of the stormy weather.

The monthly business meeting and social of the Christian Endeavor Society will be held at H. Thompson's on Tuesday evening, August 2d. This is the usual lawn social with cake and ice cream for sale. An invitation is extended to all.

LOWER BENSALEM.

The work of macadamizing the pike has started, beginning at the Neshaminy bridge.

Richard Finley, of Cornwells, died Friday, July 22. Mr. Finley was 89 years of age and has resided in Cornwells many years. The interment took place Monday at Norristown.

The mid-summer tea of the Eddington Presbyterian Church was decidedly well attended. The vocal selections rendered by Miss Updegraff were greatly enjoyed. The supper proved a great success financially. The proceeds amounted to between four and five hundred dollars.

EDDINGTON.

Mrs. William Clemsnce is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Poel made a very pleasant trip to New York.

Charles Adams, of Newark, N. J., is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Keen, for a few days.

Miss Elizabeth Swan, of Haddonfield, N. J., spent last week with Miss Florence N. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Summersle, of Germantown, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Warner on Sunday.

Trouble is a thing that will come without our call; but true joy will not spring up without ourselves.

News of the County

News of Nearby Towns From Our Own Correspondents

DOYLESTOWN.

Carroll Molloy, transcribing clerk in the Recorder's office, is spending several days at the World's Fair, St. Louis.

Joseph Woodington, of Bristol, was released from the county jail on Friday, the charges against him having been withdrawn and the case settled.

The pulpit of the Doylestown Presbyterian Church was declared vacant on Sunday by Rev. Daniel H. Martin, pastor of the Wissahickon Presbyterian Church.

Grand Master of Records Gallagher and Supreme Master of Records A. C. Little visited St. Tammany Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, of this place, on Monday evening.

Company G, of this place, with fifty-six members in line, left here last Friday evening for Gettysburg where they are spending the week at the annual encampment of the National Guard.

Two more prisoners were lodged in the county jail on Sunday. John Crane, of Quakertown, and John Williams, of Morrisville, were committed for thirty days each, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Emmett S. Taylor has been adjudged insane by a commission in lunacy and was removed from the penitentiary to the State Hospital for the Insane at Norristown on Tuesday. Taylor was sentenced at a recent term of court for burglary at Morrisville.

The bottling establishment on East State street owned by William L. Francis, has been sold to William Neis, former proprietor of the Railroad House, of this place, for $25,000. Mr. Neis expects to take possession of the property about August 10.

Senator Webster Grim, who purchased the Doylestown Democrat last week, it is said, will make a morning edition of the Daily Democrat and the weekly issue will appear on Thursday as usual. The Senator will assume charge of the plant next Monday when he will make formal announcement of his plans.

Justice of the Peace Willis Wall on Saturday afternoon decided the suit of the International Harvester Company vs. E. P. Anderson, of Tullytown, in favor of Anderson. The suit was brought to recover on a harvester which Anderson agreed to purchase if it was all right. He claimed the machine was defective and therefore the agreement not binding. The decision of the Justice sustained his contention.

As Henry S. Beidler was out in his auto last Thursday afternoon a team hitched to a reaper and binder belonging to Hiram Smith, of Danboro, frightened at the machine and ran away. Oscar Hager, who was driving the horses, was thrown to the ground and sustained a severe scalp wound. The reaper and binder was smashed into bits and one of the horses badly cut about the legs. Mr. Beidler thinks he will sell his auto as such trips prove to be too expensive.

The Somerton base ball team came here on Saturday to play a Suburban league game with the local team with three men short of a complete line-up. After filling in three substitutes from the bleachers the game was played and resulted in an easy victory for the home team by the score of 15 to 4. Last Wednesday afternoon the locals defeated Jenkintown here in one of the most exciting contests of the season by a score of 6 to 2. The attraction next Saturday will be Abington.

Commissioners' Clerk T. A. Crouthamel has just completed an annual statement, compiled from the Assessors' returns, for the Secretary of Internal Affairs, which shows the following figures: Number of taxables, 26,821; acres of cleared land, 394,959; acres of timber land, 19,701; value of occupations, $2,919,050; aggregate value of all property taxable for county purposes, $38,223,311; total amount of county tax, $114,702.37; value of all real estate, $37,781,275; value of real estate exempt from taxation, $3,978,048: value of real estate taxable, $33,803,227; number of horses, 16,271; value, $949,534; number of cows, 18,549; value, $556,500.

Color Corporal George W. Howard, of Georgia, the confederate gunner who shot the fingers off the hand of General W. W. H. Davis, of this place, in the battle on Johns Island, South Carolina, is expected to be present at the reunion of the 104th Pennsylvania Regiment in Doylestown on September 15. "I have a very vivid recollection of the time and place where the thing happened," said General Davis Monday. "The gun manned by Howard stood at the edge of a five-acre field, facing our men. I saw him load it and point it directly at me. Dropping my hands at my side, I stood up straight and faced the foe, when suddenly the shell left the gun and burst at my side. One piece took my fingers and another entered a tree by which I was standing." During President Cleveland's first term, Mr. Howard wrote the President and strongly recommended General Davis for the position of Collector of the Port of Philadelphia. Mr. Howard is a farmer in Georgia and his visit to the coming reunion is looked forward to with a great deal of interest by the survivors of the 104th.

EMILIE.

Miss Dora Lovett visited friends at Hammonton, N. J., Wednesday.

Miss Flossie Cost is visiting Mrs. William Hillborn.

Mrs. King and Mrs. Hibbs, with their Sunday school classes, will visit Willow Grove Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Wright has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts, at Andalusia.

Pearl Smith, the little daughter of William Smith, was seriously injured by falling from a wheelbarrow, cutting the child's head in a frightful manner.

A New Local Anaesthetic.

A new local anaesthetic of the cocaine order has been discovered. It is called "eucaine," and the advantage of the drug will enable the carrying out of those operations otherwise impossible with chloroform, owing to heart weakness of the patient. It will also enable the surgeon to take more time over his work. Although scarcely adaptable for amputations, it will be useful for treatment of the thyroid glands. The eucaine is injected by means of a hypodermic needle under the skin at the place where the incision is to be made. After a few moments the skin may be cut without the patient feeling anything. As different and independent parts are exposed, the drug is dropped at intervals of a few minutes. A highly successful operation with this anaesthetic was recently carried out in a London hospital, the operation lasting one and a half hours.—Scientific American.

"Is your son's collegiate education of any practical value?" "Oh, yes. Its cured his mother of bragging about him."

NEWTOWN.

Morrell Smith is visiting the great fair at St. Louis.

Miss Maud Esther Rice is spending a week at Atlantic City.

William R. Stuckert, Esq., is spending a week at Atlantic City.

Captain William Wynkoop is spending several weeks at Asbury Park.

Miss Virginia Worstall, of West Chester, is visiting Miss Emma Worstall.

Miss Emily Fitch, of Baltimore, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fredda H. Bryan.

T. S. Kenderdine will soon go West and visit St. Louis and the great exposition.

Charles V. Cornell has been taking a weeks' vacation making short trips from home.

Miss Lizzie C. Sickel is visiting her friend, Miss Mary T. Hales in Massachusetts.

The Misses Gill, of Philadelphia, are visiting at the home of Joseph Horn on Court street.

Miss Nellie Sellers, of Philadelphia, is staying at the home of her uncle, Samuel T. Buckman.

Judge D. Newlin Fell and wife and sister, Miss Emmie Trego, were visitors in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Camm and daughter, Dorothy, are spending some time with Newtown relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buckman, of Philadelphia, are taking an outing at the residence of Cyrus Hillborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Maris, of Philadelphia, are guests of their parents, Prof. and Mrs. George L. Maris.

Edward S. Hutchinson, is visiting in Bluefield, West Virginia, where his son, Stanley, has typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, of Horsham, spent Saturday in town visiting Mrs. Anna Linton on South Chancellor street.

Miss Elizabeth K. Eyre, with a number of George School girls, are on a house party at Hoods in Avondale, Chester county.

Some of the members of the Bucks County Country Club from here took part in the "German" given on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Beans entertained a number of friends at tea on Wednesday evening at their home on Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George Merrick, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvan Tomlinson and children, of Wrightstown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hogeland on Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth A. Woodman, lately teacher at Edgewood, will fill a position in the Morrisville primary school at the opening of the school in September.

The A. A. of town played a game of baseball with the L. Hampton club of Trenton, on Saturday on the home grounds, defeating the visiting club with a score of 12 to 6.

John M. Stapler, Wilmer Lundy and Lewis Buckman, left town on Wednesday to visit the Exposition at St. Louis. Mr. Stapler will return by the Great Lakes and Toronto before his return.

Pasha and Mrs. Cruikshank were entertained on Monday evening by Miss Annie Comfort, of Morrisvile. They are now visiting in Tarrytown. They will sail for their home next Saturday.

William T. Ellis, bookkeeper at Mawson's factory for over a year, and reporter for several papers, will leave town this week. He will become a member of the reportorial staff of the Phoenix, at Bristol, Rhode Island.

A party of boys started from town on Saturday to camp for a week near Bowman's Hill, up along the Delaware. The party consisted of Albert Hogeland, Charles Hutchinson, Edward Briggs, Elmer Case and Carl Watson.

The festival of the L. T. L. Alumni given on the Academy lawn on Thursday evening was a grand success. The lawn presented an attractive appearance decorated with beautiful lanterns and many were present to aid the young people in their good work. Nearly $35 was cleared.

The I. C. B. U. of St. Andrews Catholic Church held a very successful festival on the Church lawn on Friday and Saturday evenings. Although the weather was very damp large crowds congregated and the receipts were very gratifying. On Saturday evening the brass band from St. Francis School at Eddington discoursed fine music.

Up The Hudson.

On Thursdays, August 4, 18, and September 1, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run its usual midsummer excursions to the "Upper Hudson," under personal escort. Special train will leave Broad Setret Station at 7.34 A. M., stopping at principal points between Philadelphia and Trenton.

A stop will be made at West Point, giving those who disembark an hour and a half at that point, and enabling them to view the United States Military Academy.

In order to insure an early return, no stop will be made at Newburgh although the steamer will run to a point off that city and there turn.

Tickets will be sold at the following round-trip rates: From Philadelphia, Bristol, and intermediate stations, $2.50; Trenton, $2.00; Tulpehocken, Westmoreland, and intermediate stations, $2.60; Wissahickon Heights, Highland, and Chestnut Hill, $2.70.

At Germantown Junction connections will be made with regular trains from Chestnut Hill Branch.

Tickets good only on special train and connections at above points.

When alone, we have our thoughts to watch; in the family, our temper; in society, our tongues.

Popular One-Day Excursions.

Commencing July 6 and every Wednesday thereafter until Aug. 31, inclusive, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will run an excursion to Sea Girt, Ocean Grove, Asbury Park, and Long Branch, for which tickets will be sold at the extremely low rate of $1.50 for the round trip. Children between five and twelve years of age half price.

The tickets will be good only on special train in each direction on day of issue, leaving Bristol at 8.23 A.M.; returning leave Long Branch 6.16 P. M., and Ocean Grove 6 30 P.M.

Safeguard the Children.

Notwithstanding all that is done by boards of health and charitably inclined persons, the death rate among small children is very high during the hot wheather of the summer months in the large cities. There is not probably one case of bowel complaint in a hundred, however, that could not be cured by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by Enlen Martin, Bristol, wholesale agent for Bucks county.

FALLSINGTON.

Howell Windle is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carver.

Jennie B. Moon and T. G. Hawkes were visiting at M. W. Moon's over Sunday.

Miss Rachel Carver has returned from a visit to Miss Emily Bailey at Langhorne.

Misses Rae C. Watson and Emma F. Moon are spending a few weeks at Asbury Park.

Lightning struck the mansion house at the Penn Valley Stock Farm but little damage was done.

Some one shot a favorite hound dog of Will Watson's while he was in a field near the baseball grounds.

Abram Mason and wife have gone to Asbury Park. Miss Sue Thorn has also gone to the same place.

A party of young people are having a good time camping at Point Pleasant. Some are from this vicinity.

A game of baseball between Falls and Emilie was won by the Emilie club on Saturday by the score of 19 to 14.

The old prediction that if St. Swithen's Day is clear we will have forty clear days succeeding it, seems to have failed this year.

Dr. J. N. Richards and David Satterthwaite, Jr., have a gasoline engine in partnership which forces water to both houses and barns.

A horse belonging to Fred Watson ran away Saturday evening, throwing a boy out of the wagon to which it was attached but without doing him much injury.

Bishop Coleman, of Delaware, and Bishop Scarborough, of Trenton, were in Fallsington on Friday. They are trustees of the estate of M. A. Williamson.

Edward Beans is having his property improved by having an addition built to his house and a new barn erected. Harry Watson is doing the work on the house and Albert Hibbs and brother are putting up the barn.

H. M. Cruikshank, who is attached to the government of Egypt, and his wife were the guests of Miss Annie Comfort, who resides between Morrisville and Fallsington. Mrs. Cruikshank is the daughter of Major Samuel Comfort, a brother of Miss Comfort.

A "Senses" party was held at Hillside, the home of the Girls' Friendly Society, on Thursday evening. The evening was spent in testing the five senses, and a prize given to the most successful guesser. There was also other entertainment, music and dancing. Ice cream and cake were served.

PENN VALLEY.

Master Winfield S. Daley is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Edward Miller is employed at the canning factory at Tullytown as engineer.

Some of our townspeople attended the picnic at Burlington Island Park last Thursday.

Farmers in this vicinity are busily engaged in picking beans for the cannery at Tullytown.

Mrs. Pharo and son, Evan, of Newark, are July and August guests at John Conklin's.

Charles Dickel, of Philadelphia; Otto Drews, of Jersey City, and Carlton B. Hughes, of Wayne, were home on Sunday.

Mrs. Eseck H. White and grandson, Homer Prentice, were visiting relatives in Merchantville from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Fannie E. White, Miss Clara M. Dickel and Harry C. Dickel attended the mid-summer tea at Eddington on Thursday evening.

Mrs. John S. Brearley, Miss Irene Brearley, Edgar Brearley and Miss Edith Poole, of near Trenton, spent Wednesday at Henry C. Dickel's.

W. A. Cawley, of Morrisville, a representative of the Rider-Moore and Stewart Business College, of Trenton, was in town last week in the interest of the college.

PENN'S MANOR.

George Bruer took a business trip to Trenton on Monday.

John Updike has secured a position with the cannery at Tullytown.

The weather has been very unfavorable for the harvesting of oats and spring rye.

Miss Emma Stillwell, of Hopewell, N. J., is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Seidensticker.

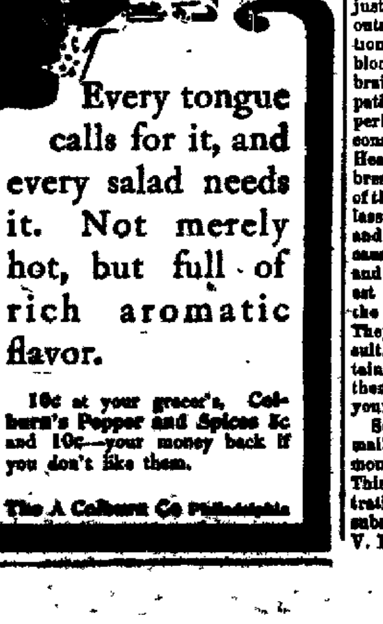
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ivins returned from the shore on last Sunday much improved from the change.

Mrs. M. Neely returned to the Manor from a visit to Mrs. J. E. Woolsey, at Bordentown, N. J., on Monday last.

One of J. Seidensticker's best horses was very badly cut on Saturday evening on the right leg just below the breast by running into a buckthorn wire fence. The horses were chasing each other in the pasture field and it struck with full force. Dr. S. Hibbs was sent for, who was luckily at home, and he came down with his always-ready "Joe" horse in full speed. It took twelve stitches to get the ugly gash in shape with some difficulty. It is doing nicely, and if no blood poison sets in it is expected that the horse will get over it all right, but it will take some time.

World's Fair Excursions.

Low-rate ten-day coach excursions via Pennsylvania Railroad, August 3, 10, 17, 24, and 31. Rate, $18.95 from Bristol. Train leaves Bristol at 10.18 A. M., connecting with special train from New York arriving St. Louis 4.15 P.M. next day.



MORRISVILLE.

James McGarrity, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cox spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brooks, of Norristown.

James McLees, bugler in Co. D, Ninth U. S. Inafntry, stationed at Fort Niagara, N. Y., is visiting his mother here.

Lewis R. Burns and William P. Barber, both G. A. R. members, are making arrangements to go to the encampment at Boston next month.

On Wednesday evening last Frank M. Pope, of this place, and Miss Estella Midwood, of Philadelphia, were united in marriage at the home of the groom's parents on Wood street by the Rev. J. E. Reber. Miss Florence Midwood, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Garfield Pope, a brother of the groom, was best man. A reception was held after the ceremony and later the happy couple boarded a train at Trenton depot for Atlantic City, where their honeymoon will be spent. Guests were present from Philadelphia, Trenton and Morrisville.

Eddie Craig's timely hitting for the Waldon's defeated the Eclipse team at Morrisville Ball Park on Saturday afternoon. Each team has now won two games. Craig got three of the five hits off Wilmot. In the ninth inning with three men on the bases and the score tied Craig walloped a two-bagger, scoring three runs. Kelly's one-handed catch was the fielding feature. Score by innings:

										R.	H.	E.
Waldrons,	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	—6	5	8
Eclipse,	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3	5	7

The Eclipse team will journey to Princeton Saturday, where they will line-up against the Junior A. C. team of that place.

A party of Morrisville young people enjoyed a strawride Saturday evening to the home of Miss Leola Mershon, Penns Manor. The evening was spent in dancing and games. Miss Edna Young and Rosa Mershon rendered vocal and instrumental selections and Gersham Howell was the source of much amusement with his comic recitations. At a late hour the party returned to Morrisville. Those present were Misses Rosa Mershon, Edna Young, Alice Young, Fanny White, Laura Patterson, Edna Crozer, Martha Fowler, Roxanna Bond, Edith Moon, Adeline Johnson and Francis Taylor; Messrs. Gersham Howell, Frank Muschert, Charles Heller, Charles Patterson, Howard Patterson, Leonard Taylor, Jesse Fabian, Thaddens Fowler, Edward Lovett, Raymond Holaneck, Lewis Howell, Harry Crozer and George Muschert.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the summer season in Morrisville was a lawn party given Saturday evening at the home of Chief Burgess Jacob Garman on Delaware avenue. The lawn was gayly decorated with Japanese lanterns and a space was specially prepared for dancing on the green, which was the principal pleasure of the evening. Music was furnished by a local orchestra and refreshments were served on the lawn. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Peze, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Garman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beck, Mr. and Mrs. George Grigsby, Mr. and Mrs. George Girth, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. John Peze, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin A. Riley, Mr. and Mrs. James Grigsby, Mr. and Mrs. George Doran, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Garman, Sr., Lewis Peze and family, George Peze and family, William Laird and family, Mrs. Ella Rickey, George Garman, Charles Garman, Mabel Runner, Ella Conover, Lillian Patterson, Margaret Garman, Hester Garman, Cecelia Garman, Eunice Feeney, Elizabeth Murray, Charlotte Lechner, Anna Doherty, Mayme Kelly, Edna Richards, Ada Lowe, Sarah Carhart, Lillian Campbell, Agnes Campbell, Anna Campbell, Anna Eck, Charles Hendrickson, George Conover, Clarence Burns, Aaron Young, Joseph Bucknum, Howard Hart, Arthur Carman, James Doherty, Robert Doherty, George Mercer, John McCarthy, Owen McCarthy, Richard Page, George Rickey, James Gropp, Andrew Lockey, Joseph Garres, Walter Groves, William Taylor and others.

The Morrisville team sacrificed whatever chance of defeating the Y. M. C. A. bull crunchers Saturday afternoon by allowing Gable to continue after he had allowed the wherewithal for two green legs to score in the very jump off. Gable got a merciless walloping during his reign of four innings. Then when the game was snugly in the grasp of McCune and his warriors, Dovey was trotted out. Dovey did not start out very auspiciously, Ross beginning with a slashing single. A wild pitch sent him down to second. But that was the most ambitious effort of the Christians during the remainder of the game. Dovey did not allow another hit and the only two to reach second got there as the result of Hough's bad throws to first. But Morrisville was unable to do anything with Egner and were defeated by the score of 7 to 1. The score:

Y. M. C. A.	r	h	o	a	e
Klein, lf,	2	1	2	0	0
Travers, 1b,	0	1	6	1	0
Horton, cf,	1	1	0	1	0
Ross, c,	1	1	12	1	0
McCune, 3b,	0	1	2	2	0
Handford, rf,	0	0	1	0	0
Young, 2b,	1	2	3	2	0
Bratton, ss,	1	1	1	1	1
Egner, p,	1	1	0	1	1
Totals,	7	9	27	9	2

MORRISVILLE.	r	h	o	a	e
Justice, 2b,	0	1	0	3	1
Wright, cf,	0	1	3	0	0
Sweatman, 3b,	1	0	1	1	2
Hough, ss,	0	0	2	4	2
Riley, 1b,	0	1	12	0	0
Mann, c,	0	0	5	2	1
Mason, lf,	0	0	1	0	0
Walsh, rf,	0	1	0	1	1
Gable, p,	0	0	0	1	0
Dovey, p,	0	0	0	0	0
Totals,	1	4	24	12	7

Two-base hits—Klein, McCune. Struck out—Enger 11, Gable 2, Dovey 4. Bases on balls—Egner 5, Gable 2, Dovey 1. Sacrice hit—Bratton. Wild pitch—Dovey. Stolen base—Sweatman. Double play—Travers to Young. Umpire—Konover.

"Cleanliness is next to godliness." Dirt and depravity go hand in hand. This is just as true of the inside of the body as the outside. Constipation means that corruption is breeding in the body, poisoning the blood with its foul emanations, befogging the brain with its tainted exhalations. Constipation is the begining of more diseases than, perhaps, any other single disorder. The consequences of constipation are legion. Headache, pain in the side, shortness of breath, undue fullness after eating, coldness of the extremities, nervousness, indecision, lassitude, dizziness, sallowness, flatulence, and a score of other ailments are directly caused by constipation. Cure constipation and you cure its consequences. The quickest cure of this evil is obtained by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are small in size but wonderful in result. They cure permanently. They contain no injurious ingredients. The use of them does not beget the "pill habit." Ask your druggist for them.

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YARDLEY.

Edward Doan is suffering with an abscess on his neck

Willard Roberts is the guest of friends in Philadelphia this week.

Herbert Bunting, of Newtown, was the guest of his uncle on Sunday last.

James Lane, of New York City, was a business visitor in town this week.

R. I. Tobey was a business visitor in Philadelphia on Monday afternoon.

Clarence Morgan, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lynn this week.

Mr and Mrs. Applegate are spending the month of July with friends at Ocean City.

Miss Mabel Comly, of Passaic, N. J., is the guest of her aunt, Miss Hattie Comly, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulme, of Germantown, and their two sons, were entertained by friends in Yardley this week.

Miss Lillian B. Yardley, of Philadelphia, was the guest of her mother at her home in Yardley this week.

W. A. Nickles, of Shippensburg, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. M. Eames, for a short time this week.

Mrs. E. W. Moloney and children have returned from a trip to Philadelphia, where they were entertained by friends.

E. W. Twining has a number of his ducks upon his farm above Yardley, but the majority are at his place in Yardley.

The Misses Nora and Mary Nickles, of Shippensburg, Pa., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Eames at this time.

Mrs. William M. Welch, of Philadelphia, who has been spending some time at the home of her son, Robert W. Welsh, has returned to her home.

The finishing touches are being put on the Continental Hotel by painters from Trenton and the place is greatly improved in appearance by their efforts.

Miss Josephine Duke, of Shippensburg, who has been the guest of Mrs. E. C. Smith for some time, has gone to Boston, where she will complete a course in music at the Boston Conservatory of Music.

The annual camp meeting of the members of the A. M. E. Church, of Yardley, will be held in Oak Grove from August 7th to 14th, inclusive. A number of prominent ministers have been invited to attend the services.

Charles T. Eastburn & Co. are constructing a large stone crusher at their quarries at Neshaminy. The crusher will be used to turn out stone for the new roads which are in course of construction throughout Langhorne. The roads have been graded, and the stone is next in order.

A number of rock fish were caught in the Delaware just above the Reading Railroad bridge one evening last week by gentlemen from Trenton. Yardley has gotten a reputation for being a good place to fish, and every evening a number of men come up on the trolley to try their luck with the finny creatures.

The supper which was served by the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Church on Saturday evening was a great success. The tables were prettily decorated with flowers of the season and the lawn was brilliantly lighted with numerous electric lights and lanterns. A good sum was realized.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dilliplane entertained a number of their friends at their home on Main street. The lawn was beautifully illuminated with Chinese lanterns, as was also the orchard. Friends from Newtown, Trenton, Bristol and other nearby towns were in attendance. Refreshments were served on the lawn.

On Saturday afternoon one of the large eight wheelers of the Yardley and Trenton trolley line jumped the track on the bridge above State street, Trenton. The car was going at a fair rate of speed, so that when it struck the iron piers of the bridge the passengers were "jarred some." No one was hurt and the car was finally gotten on the track and proceeded to complete the trip. The fender and the front part of the car were badly broken by the accident.

Modern Married Life.

Probably the great reason why there are so many unhappy marriages today lies in the growing restlessness of the age. In the good old days, before women were emancipated, they were content to stay at home and minister to the needs of their lord, their children and their household. Matinees, summer sales and afternoon teas were unknown. Our grandmothers were not always racking their brains for some fresh diversion, some new way of killing time. They lived simple, healthy, frugal lives, and in spite of the swooning they are represented, in the novels of the period, of indulging in, had a more tranquil nervous system. The woman of today is constantly craving for excitement. If she is of the lower middle-class she passes her nights in a heated salesroom, bidding frenziedly for articles she does not want; if she is of the upper middle-class she disports herself upon some promenade or wears herself to pieces over parish work. To stay at home is the only thing she detests. Now this is unfortunate, bcause man (a far far more conservative animal than woman, by the way) likes nothing better than to sit by his own fireside, with his feet on his own fender, smoking the pipe of peace. While his fiancee pictures matrimony as a whirl of calls and parties, he dreams of a quiet haven sheltered from every wind which blows, a place where once the turmoil of the world is shut out, he can rest and refresh himself for the recurring struggle for bread. Just so long, girl readers, as your ideas of what constitute a happy marriage differ so violently from those of the average man, just so long will there be dozens and dozens of unhappy marriages. If you really wish to make your married life happy, you must give up all thoughts of your own pleasure; you must abandon the idea that rushing to and fro is desirable. You must settle down—never mind if it does sound dull—and determine to make a home for your husband.

Never mind about the curtains or the carpet, these count for nothing; make it a place where the sunshine of serenity shines; a place where wrongs are kissed away and cares forgotten; a place where cross words and looks never come; a place where discontent can never live; and, above all, a peaceful place where he may gather strength for the struggle always going on —the struggle of life.

Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After Ten Years of Suffering.

"I wish to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mrs. Mattie Burge, of Martinsville, Va. "I suffered from chronic diarrhoea for ten years and during that time tried various medicines without obtaining any permanent relief. Last summer one of my children was taken with cholera morbus, and I procured a bottle of this remedy. Only two doses were required to give her entire relief. I then decided to try the medicine myself, and did not use all of one bottle before I was well and I have never since been troubled with that [illegible]. One cannot say too much in [illegible] derful medicine." [illegible] by Enlen Martin, [illegible] for Bucks county.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES INADEQUATE.

President Harper of the University of Chicago argues trenchantly for higher pay for teachers in elementary and secondary schools. He says:

The demands of the work can be met only by those whom nature has endowed with a high order of talent. The teacher to whom is entrusted the fostering care of our children should surely be one whose ability we respect. How is it possible to satisfy the conscience if a policy other than this prevails? Is there anything more precious than the child, whether viewed from the point of view of the family or the state? Is not his training a thing of pre-eminent importance? And yet we are willing to pay to his teacher a salary far less than is paid in many cases to the keeper of our horses, or to the keeper of our cattle. Who cannot see the utter absurdity of this? The teacher, everything being considered, should be, and in many cases is, the equal of the man or woman who enters into any other professional life. Shall we stultify ourselves by continuing to pay the teacher at a rate which places on him or her the brand of intellectual weakness for having accepted a position which promises its occupant so little profit of advantage. The time has come when preparation for teaching even in the grades requires a preparation and a proficiency equal to that demanded by any other profession. These requirements have gradually been increased until today in many quarters only those possessed of a vigorous physical constitution, strong and untiring purpose, and in addition a considerable sum of money, are able to secure the preparation called for. Is it justice to those who have pursued the laborious course of preparation that in the end they should find themselves limited to a salary so small as to seem pitiful in view of the hardship undergone and the expense which has been incurred?

THE ELECTORAL COLLEGE.

There will be an increase in the number of electors who will serve in the electoral college to be chosen in November. The college will consist of 476 electors—twenty-nine more than the college of four years ago, making 239 necessary to a choice now against 224 then.

Four years ago McKinley received 292 electoral votes, and Bryan 155. If President Roosevelt should carry the same states carried by his predecessor he would receive 311 electoral votes, and Judge Parker, should he carry the same states carried by Bryan in 1900, would receive 168 votes. Through the new apportionment the McKinley states gained 19 new electoral votes and the Bryan states 10, a net gain of 9 on the Republican side.

If Judge Parker carries the southern states carried in 1900 by Bryan he will start with 151 otes. If, in addition, he carries Maryland, which is deemed certain, he will have 159. To be elected, therefore, he must secure 80 electoral votes elsewhere. If Delaware's 3 should go for him and West Virginia's 7, his necessities to the north and west would be reduced to 70.

In 1900 the only states of the north and west carried by Bryan were Colorado, Idaho, Nevada and Montana—a total of 14 votes.

Adding these, for argument's sake to the Parker column, it is still 56 votes short. If New York's 39 and New Jersey's 12 should be cast for him, it would still be necessary to carry some other state having as many as five votes. Connecticut, Indiana and Wisconsin are referred to as prospects.

To sum up, Judge Parker to win must have not only the solid south, including Maryland, West Virginia and Delaware, but also New York and New Jersey, all the northern states Bryan's populism and silverism carried in 1900, and also some other considerable state—either Connecticut, Indiana or Wisconsin.

Massachusetts has been making marked strides in good road building. But she can afford to do so for large portions of the state are almost solidly covered with the magnificent summer residences of the wealthy. The rest of the country is not so fortunate, but the good roads sentiment has gotten abroad and the people will undoubtedly look with favor upon some practicable plain for reasonable government assistance in good road construction. The farmer who lives adjacent to an improved roadway, which he can traverse at all times of the year with a heavy load has such an advantage over the man who must practically stop hauling after the wet season sets in, that good roads and good farms are found to invariably go together. The charge is made by the conservatives that road making is not in any sense a government function, that it is a long step toward paternalism and that such improvements should be handled locally. The fact remains, however, that the government is entering more and more upon such so-called paternalism and there are few universal improvements which would tend to build up and promote the prosperity of the nation's greatest industry more than a wise co-operative scheme of road building and improvement whereby the national government might co-operate with the states or their various minority governments.

Japan says to the Porte, regarding the passage of the Russian fleet, "You let them through and we'll do the rest."

Secretary Wilson estimates the value of this year's American farm products at four billion, five hundred million dollars.

Those Bryan Democrats who condemned Judge Parker for not talking are swearing at him now for not having finally broken silence.

Just one hundred years ago this month since Aaron Burr and and Alexander Hamilton fought a duel; more is the pity that one of the greatest constructive minds the world ever saw was snuffed out. The one compensating feature was the quietus put upon dueling in America for good and all.

The total business failures and defaults in the United States for the week ending July 9th was 206, which is not an unfavorable comparison with the 1893 summer record, when with a much smaller volume of national business the weekly failures ran 250, 300, 350 and in week almost 400. Possibly it would be different with Judge Parker.

After all is said and done, Bryan has hung another mill stone around the neck of his dear Democracy. Notwithstanding Judge Parker's melodramatic assertion on the money question there are large numbers of the party who fear to go before the country with a moneyless platform. On the other hand, western Democrats who have believed in the silver idea feel that they have almost been betrayed and to say at least are left unenthusiastic and nerveless.

In formally accepting the nomination for President of the United States yesterday, Theodore Roosevelt delivered to the notification committee one of his characteristic straight-forward addresses. The President declared that he was willing to stand or fall by the administrations policies and has no apologies to offer for anything that has been done. One of his telling shots was that the gold standard is established just so long as the Republican party is in power, and that no evasions had to be made for not bringing prosecutions under the anti-trust laws.

It is not difficult to see now why Judge Parker's views on public questions, and particularly the money question, were held in leash. Mr. Hill's carefully prepared plan to concede his gold plank to Bryan and get that statesman committed to a policy of harmony, so that he could not well subsequently retreat, and then squaring the platform with the sound money Democrats by the springing of the prearranged Parker telegram, would not have been possible had the latter gentleman made his views known on public questions. It is probable that from now on Judge Parker will drop his sphinx-like attributes, since they have served the purpose well.

Attempts to amicably settle the strike of the meat packing trades in Chicago have failed, and it looks now as though a prolonged warfare will be the result. It seems that leaders were hasty in calling the second strike before it was possible to learn definitely whether the packers intended to live up to their agreements. The latter deny emphatically that there was any violation of the agreement entered into with the strikers and the action is regarded as entirely unjustified in calling the second strike on sensational and misleading reports within an average of thirty minutes from the time the men were ordered to return to work, and before it was possible for any considerable number to be given their places. As is usual in such cases, the consumer will pay the bill.

Wall street is rejoicing over its capture of the Democratic national organization and the nomination of Judge Parker. Mr. Belmont, representing the stock gamblers and the trust magnates, midst the surrounding of predatory wealth, proclaims to have confidence in the election of the Democratic nominee for President. The Bryan element was tricked in convention but it is not likely that it will be quietly lulled into submission by the siren songs that waft from Esopus and Woolfert's Roost. As an indication of the temperment of the Democratic party in the West it is only necessary to cite an incident in the Missouri State convention which was held at Jefferson City last week. The mention of Bryan's name in the convention swept it off its feet, and when it got tired of cheering and took a breathing spell the galleries took up the refrain and started it off again, while the name of Parker, the Presidential nominee, elicited the inquiry from out on the floor, "Who is Parker?"

It is now seen that Hill's is the master mind. The surmises have developed into facts that the man of Wolfert's Roost played the western Democrats and, in fact, the entire party for all they were worth, and that the understanding between Hill and Parker was and is today a perfect one, with Hill as the experienced engineer and the directing force. This will be appreciated when it is known that when Hill first emerged from his long seclusion and re-entered politics, and while the papers and the politicians were wondering what game was up, Parker for the presidency was the object. All in all, it has been a great game, well conceived and ably executed with the masterly climax at St. Louis. Hill was to handle the situation; if he found it wise or necessary to beat Bryan and force a gold plank, the gold plank would go in the platform. If he found it best to juggle the platform and draw Bryan sufficiently into the wings of his net so that he could not subsequently withdraw, he would do so, Judge Parker to save the day by supplying the necessary financial pronunciamento. The programme was carried out without a hitch, and Hill subserved his personal pride in the interest of his cause, even to the extent of having Parker send his famous gold telegram to Sheehan, which distracted attention from himself and even started the story that the presidential nominee had turned Hill down hard. David Bennett Hill, former Senator and Governor has executed many brilliant and daring political moves, but the story of the nomination of Parker outdoes them all.

AMONG THE EXCHANGES.

ROOT!

Doylestown Democrat.

Yes, New York is absolutely indispensable to a Democratic victory next fall, as the Republican papers say. But how, we ask, are the Republicans going to carry it?

REMINISCENT.

Doylestown Intelligencer.

At last General Miles has located himself politically. He has come out strongly for Judge Parker as the ideal Presidential candidate. Like Admiral Dewey four years ago, General Miles' candidacy for the Presidency was short-lived.

DEMOCRACY.

Doylestown Republican.

Isn't it remarkable how wise some become in finding flaws and becoming drawbacks to the work of those who do things? But then it is so much easier to criticise than it is to initiate and at the same time meet all possible contentions of those whose main delight is to find fault, so much easier to tear down than to build up.

EMASCULATION.

Collegeville Independent.

At last a lawmaker with nerve stands up and declares that he will draw up and submit a bill to the next Legislature at Harrisburg to provide a long imprisonment and a surgical operation for men found guilty of assaulting women. We refer to Senator Webster Grim, of Bucks county, and thoroughly endorse the definite action he proposes to take.

SARCASM.

Hatboro Journal.

The Republicans are to be congratulated on the improvements they have made the last few years in way of running the government. They are now perfectly competent to manage the affairs of both parties; this does away with the unpleasantness of competition in politics, and places them in the position of the fellow who was tossing pennies with the Indian—heads I win, tails you lose.

ORTHODOX.

Perkasie News.

In the next few weeks the Bible will be considerably discussed at upper Bucks county camp meetings. Some of the city brethren come this way almost prepared to surrender the struggle, because they see so much evil—condemned, protected or tolerated—that seems to neutralize their work. For their encouragement we want to offer two thoughts: First, scattered over the world are hundreds of societies numbering millions of members. The principles of these societies are based on a single verse or chapter of Scripture. If it is possible for men to be bound together by a few lines from sacred writ, how much broader, better, stronger and forceful is it possible for the church to become when it has the whole Bible of sixty-six books, thousands of chapters and countless verses?

And again: In the light of the new conditions constantly arising the Bible seems to lack admonition and penalty for breaches of deportment. It, however, the text is properly illuminated it will be seen to fit—it's all there and it's all true. At regular periods in a State the Legislature meets—hundreds of men—to legislate for the people because of the new conditions constantly arising. It is much to expect that from 2,000 to 6,000 years ago a handful of men were able to frame a guide to meet all the exigencies possible to arise in the world. But they did. And it is our fault if we fail to comprehend the information.

Receivers for Telephone Co.

The Standard Telephone and Telegraph Company, which owns valuable franchises in Bucks and Montgomery counties and in New Jersey, was placed in the hands of receivers on Wednesday of last week by Judge Audenried, of Philadelphia. It is a Pennsylvania corporation, capitalized at $100,000.

I. D. Ginhart, auditor of the Keystone Telephone Company, was appointed one of the receivers. The other receiver is T. O. Atkinson, Treasurer of the Bucks County Trust Company.

Application for receivers was made by John A. Roebeling Sons Company, wire manufacturres, of Trenton, N. J., who presented a claim for $6000 for goods sold. Other claims amounted to $18,000. It is contended that business is not being conducted at a profit. Complaint was also made that the officers were making no effort to fill the company's contracts for telephone service and keep the concern up to a propper standard.

G. S. W. Brubaker, of Lancaster, is President of the company. It was incorporated in 1891, and operates eight telephone exchanges, with pole lines between Bristol, Hatboro, Yardley, Quakertown, Newtown, Prekasie, Doylestown, Langhorne and Morrisville and in New Jersey, Burlington and Riverside. The value of the system is $150,000.

Judge Audenried required the receivers to enter $50,000 security and empowered them to continue business.

It is reported that both the Bell and Keystone Telephone Companies have been endeavoring for some time to acquire control of the corporation.

A good deal of Bucks county money, especially about Newtown, Langhorne and Doylestown is invested in the bonds of the concern.

The present company is the outgrowth of a local Newtown plant.

Good Crops in Bucks.

A Doylestown despatch to the Philadelphia Inquirer on the crop condition says: This year is a banner year for the farmers of Bucks county. Never before have all the staples of the county been produced in such profusion as this year's yield promises. The heavy rains have done little damage to the crops with the exception of holding the wheat harvest back for nearly ten days. The wheat is dead ripe and the heads exceptionally full. The potato crop will be immense, many farmers having planted large acreage, owing to last year's high prices. The hay is thick and free from weeds. Fruit also is bountiful and a great deal is going to waste. Corn is already in tassel and growing to a great height.

A Living Death.

The Order of La Trappe is one of the most rigorous in the Papal faith. Its members literally consign themselves to a living death so far as communication either with the outer world or with themselves is concerned. The solitary exception when they break the mournful silence is at the morning greeting "Memento mori"—"Remember death!" They sleep in their own coffins upon straw. These coffins are placed slant-wise. A Trappist monk never knows the bliss of slumbering supine, unless he be ill. In the grey of the dawn they steal forth like shadows, for manual labor forms one of the great ethics of their creed. A long spell of inarticulate prayer heralds in the mute tasks of each day. A frugal breakfast is followed by one of the sternest of the daily obligations—each man digs one shovelful of earth from out of his future grave. And when the Trappist monk breathes his last he is laid to rest in the same robes in which he passed his everyday life. Their habit consists of a dull white robe or cossack, a black scapulary (the cowl can be pulled up over the head), and a woollen girdle. Yet, watching the members of this devoted band at their toil it is impossible not to believe that they are happy in their intense self-denial. An indescribable air of peaceful serenity seems to rest upon the features of one and all. They believe that the most austere abnegation is the surest road to Eternity, and they live up to their simple ideal earnestly, perseveringly—but always silently.

Thoughts are the food of man's mind; and as the mind feeds, so will it grow. If it feeds on coarse and foul food, coarse and foul will it grow. If it feeds on pure and refined food, pure and refined it will grow.

POLITICAL FLASHES.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Doylestown Democrat, we are pleased to note, has taken on new life since the change in management and after a season of desuetude, has renewed its assaults upon the iniquitous Republicans. Anent local affairs the Democratic tinklies an alarm over the probable success of a "ring" ticket, and yet 'tis not many moons since the same authority was proclaiming that the "ring" was busted; that death had robbed the old organization of its brains and all that was left was a headless mass of voters. The organ of the Democracy in Bucks has its work cut out for it. It must damn Republicans and deify Democrats. The new proprietor of the Democrat is young, brilliant and vigorous. Give us the "dickens." We don't want a stale campaign.

George W. Radcliff, of Buckingham township, Republican candidate for Register of Wills, was in Bristol on Monday in the interest of his campaign. Two years ago Mr. Radcliff was nominated for Clerk of the Orphans' Court but was defeated at the election by Jesse O. Everitt, of Newportville, by the narrow margin of about 60 majority. Mr. Radcliff has always been an earnest party worker and is well liked wherever he is known.

The Democratic conferees of Bucks and Montgomery counties, who were imposed with the duty of selecting a Congressional candidate, have not yet performed the functions of their office. No available candidate is in sight, other than Charles E. Ingersoll, of Montgomery county, whom Mr. Wanger defeated two years ago. Mr. Ingersoll has the "stuff" and if he will consent to "run" and "produce" he will be cheerfully accorded the nomination. Mr. Ingersoll, however, does not appear to be taking any deep interest in the matter, and in fact, while his name is being considered he has been so rude as to get up and leave the country, having sailed for Europe where he will remain for several months.

The Gazette does not wish to be officious nor mingle in affairs which is none of its business, but as a suggestion merely we mention the name of Benjamin S. Johnson, of Bristol borough, as a suitable candidate for Congress on the Democratic ticket.

Considerable activity prevails in the Upper and Middle districts of the county over the Republican nominations for County Treasurer and Register of Wills. John B. Poore, of Feigelsville, and Thomas Y. McCarty, of Neshaminxon, are candidates for the former office, both hustling among their friends for votes in the convention. Mr. Poore is so well and favorably known in this section where he has a great many friends and relatives, it is believed that he will carry a big majority of the Lower end districts.

For Reigster of Wills there is a triangular fight between George W. Radcliff, of Buckingham; Elmer E. Funk, of Doylestown borough, and Washington Cadwallader, of Warrington. The three candidates stand on a par as to fitness and character. Each has large personal followings and all are men who are universally regarded with esteem, and the party could be happy with either if the others were away.

No strife has yet been raised over the three Assembly candidates and up to date Messrs. Cressman, Flack and Thomas are unopposed.

Two Contrasted Speeches.

It happened in the course of giving the current news that the speech of Secretary Hay, at the fiftieth anniversary of the birth of the Republican party, and the speech of Congressman Williams of Mississippi, as temporary chairman of the Democratic national convention, were published on the same day. Both deserve a careful reading by students of American politics. A search ing comparison will inevitably be made by all who intelligently examine the two addresses. They come from prominent representatives of the two leading parties of the country and from men who, whatever may be their distinctive personal qualifications, are well versed in the political purposes of their time. Secretary Hay speaks of the achievements of the Republican party since 1861, for most of which period it has been in power. Mr. Williams' speech is singularly different in tone as well as in its keynote of discontent with the national history that has been shaped by the Republican party, to whose hands all departments of the government have been intrusted, and whose record is so impressively good that Mr. Hay's task would have inspired eloquence in an orator far less able than he is conceded to be.

Mr. Williams can not deny the prosperity identified with Republican administrations, but tries to find a Democratic reason for it. He is fearful of damage to a "white man's government"; denounces a tariff that paid the expenses of the Spanish war and $50,000,000 for the isthmian canal, with $125,000,000 as a surplus, and under which our exports of manufactured articles have mounted to the highest point; defends the nullification that denies to the negro, on account of his color, the right to vote; accuses this government of an attempt to force an alien civilization upon the brown man in the brown man's country, and accuses the Republicans of "starving home development in order to feed the schoolboy appetite of national prestige and mere display of strength." This talk is but little better than the jardon of embittered defeat, at a loss of anything better to place against the long-continued and increasing condemnation of the people.

Secretary Hay has a totally different theme and basis for review. The Republican party, he says, "is only now in the full maturity of its power and its capacity for good." The past is full of high accomplishment, the present speaks for itself, and the future of this nation, above everything, needs the principles and qualities that have kept the Republican party, the party of successful achievement, at the front. What has the Republican party done since it was founded fifty yeas ago? What, in the same period, has the Democratic party done, or attempted to do? This is the main question that must enter into political addresses of national scope, and the answer is overwhelmingly against the Democratic party. Circulated side by side, the address of Secretary Hay and that of Chairman Williams would be a crushing arraignment of the party of failure and fallacy, with none to deny the force of the lesson save those who are willfully blind to history and impervious to reason—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Character Making.

Those who are young are only beginning to make their character, but every day will leave some mark. The lesson is, the need of watchfulness over all their life. Every book they read, every picture they look at, every friendship they form, every touch of another life on theirs, every thought they cherish, every experience of joy or sorrow, of victory or defeat, has its place among the makers of their character. If at the end we would have a character of which we shall not be ashamed, we must keep a close watch over every influence which we allow to affect us. The heart builds the character. Our thoughts carve the lines in our soul. If we are weak, cowardly, mean, selfish, sordid, or envious these blemishes will appear in the final result. But if we are strong, brave, true, just, unselfish and holy in thought and feeling, these thoughts will become part of an enduring and noble personality. Life's moods also write their story, both in the character and on the countenance. Worry or discontent makes an unquiet face. Peace in the heart sets its shifting beauty on the features. "Human physiognomy," says Victor Hugo, "is formed by the conscience and by the life, and is the result of a number of mysterious excavations." This is more true than any of us imagine. We carry the story of all our inner life on our face for all men to read it.

BASE BALL.

Bristol Will Meet Bloomsdale.

In reply to the articles which have appeared from time to time in reference to Bloomsdale and Bristol A. A. arranging games I have the following to say since "It's up to Manager Callahan."

On behalf of the A. A., I will state that never at any time have they been opposed to meeting Bloomsdale, but never having gotten a reply to my defy of playing for fifty, seventy-five or one hundred dollars, I concluded Bloomsdale did not want games.

Since Mr. Landreth appears to have no desire of playing for a side bet we will meet Bloomsdale under these conditions:

First—a series of three or five games, the third or fifth game to be played, if results warrant, on any neutral grounds agreeable to both parties.

Secondly—Winner take all. We positively will not agree to a division of receipts.

Thirdly—Each team keep its regular line-up and make agreement to that effect when games are arranged.

Having faith in the ability of the A. A. to beat Bloomsdale I suggest, if Mr. Landreth see fit, we play for bat, balls, gloves, protector and uniforms, so that the losing team will be compelled to retire from base ball.

Hoping that the public will have an opportunity in the near future of judging which is the better team and put an end to all controversy, I am,

Yours truly,
L. A. CALLAHAN,
Manager Bristol A. A.

BRISTOL DEFEATED MT. HOLLY.

Bristol A. A, journeyed to Mt. Holly last Saturday and convinced the natives of the county seat, that the victory of the A. A.'s over their team, about two weeks ago was no fluke Barring the seventh inning, when Mt. Holly scored two runs, the Bristol boys played rings around their opponents. The A. A.'s playing was almost perfect. Praul's pitching was fine; he only allowed his opponents five hits. The feature of the game was the batting of Praul and Waters. Gillen was easily the star for Mt. Holly. The score:

BRISTOL A. A.	r	h	o	a	e
C. Mulligan, c	3	1	8	0	0
D. Gallagher, 3b	1	1	2	4	1
W. Gallagher, lf	1	2	1	0	0
Barton, cf	1	2	2	0	0
Richards, 2b	0	1	4	1	0
Callahan, rf	1	1	1	0	0
Waters, ss	1	3	0	1	0
Boyle, 1b	0	1	6	0	1
Praul, p	2	3	2	1	1
Totals	10	15	*26	7	3

MOUNT HOLLY	r	h	o	a	e
Shinn, rf	0	1	0	0	0
Kington, cf	0	0	0	0	0
O'Donnell, 3b	0	0	2	2	1
Loveland, 1b	1	0	10	1	2
Gillen, ss	1	2	1	4	0
Whitmire, 2b	0	0	8	1	1
Linton, c	0	1	9	1	0
Jennings, lf	0	1	2	1	0
Smith, p	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	2	5	27	13	5

*O'Donnell out; bunting third strike.

Bristol A. A.	5	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	—10
Mt. Holly	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	— 2

FLORENCE 4, BLOOMSDALE 2.

Hard luck continues to follow Bloomsdale as last Saturday the locals went down to defeat in a close and exciting game by the score of 4 to 2. Hughes this time was responsible for the defeat, for he practically gave Florence three runs in the first inning. Florence scored again in the fifth. It looked like a shut out up to the ninth inning, when Black made a two-bagger; then Britton singled, Black scoring. Britton stole second and scored on Quinn's two-bagger to left. Snyder was out and the game wwas over. The pitching of Rhubart and Bunting was very good, both having fine control. The best playing for the Florence club was done by Wilson and Weast. Black and Leigh hit well for Bloomsdale. The score:

FLORENCE	r	h	o	a	e
Hobbs, rf	1	1	2	1	0
A. Cheeseman, ss	1	1	2	2	1
Wilson, 2b	1	2	3	4	0
J. Cheeseman, 3b	0	0	0	0	0
Weast c	0	2	11	2	0
Devlin, cf	0	1	1	0	0
Griffith, lf	0	2	0	0	0
Reiner, 1b	0	0	8	0	0
Rhubart, p	1	0	0	1	1
Totals	4	9	27	10	2

BLOOMSDALE	r	h	o	a	e
Black, cf	1	2	1	0	0
Britton, lf, c	1	1	4	2	0
Leigh, 3b	0	2	2	2	0
Bunting, p	0	0	2	3	0
Quinn, 2b	0	1	4	2	0
Snyder, 1b	0	0	9	0	0
Landreth, ss	0	0	1	1	0
Midwood, rf, lf	0	1	1	0	0
Hughes, c, rf	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	2	7	24	10	2

Florence	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	x	—4
Bloomsdale	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	—	—2

Earned runs, Bloomsdale 2, Florence 1. Two-base hits—Leigh, Black, Quinn. Double plays—Quinn to Snyder; Wilson to Cheeseman to Reiner. Struck out, Rhubart 8, Bunting 6. Bases on balls, Rhubart 1, Bunting 1. Wild pitch, Bunting. Stolen base, Devlin. Black and Britton. Umpire, Coleman.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Hughes was away off in his playing.

Bloomsdale at Pennington next Saturday.

Captain Wilson played a nice game for Florence.

Quinn joined Bloomsdale Saturady and played a good game.

Bob went up to take a look at the game but Wilson induced him to handle the indicator.

On Saturday the Bristol A. A. will play the North Philadelphia Browns on the A. A. grounds.

Britton played a great game, having one run, one hit, four put-outs, two assists, two stolen bases and was thrown out at the plate.

Hart, of Pennington, defeated the All-Trentons, a team composed of six Y. M. C. A., two Morrisville and one of Roeblings' players on Thursday by the score of 1 to 0. He struck out 17 men and allowed two hits. Bloomsdale will have to go some to win.

Reduced Rates to St. Paul or Minneapolis.

On account of the Triennial Convention of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association at St. Paul, Minn., July 15 to 30, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to St. Paul or Minneapolis from all stations on its lines July 12 to 16 inclusive, good to return until August 5, at reduced rates. For rates and conditions of tickets consult nearest ticket agents.

Algy: "An American joke, bah Jove! Here's a street that's been torn open from end to end, and the blooming sign says, 'This street is closed.'"

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This remedy is certain to be needed in almost every home before the summer is over. It can always be depended upon even in the most severe and dangerous cases. It is especially valuable for summer disorders in children. It is pleasant to take and never fails to give prompt relief. Why not buy it now? It may save life. For sale by Emlen Martin, Bristol, wholesale agent for Bucks county.

More money is spent for amusement in the United States than in any other country in the world. In no other country are the restrictions upon amusements so few.

For Sale—George Smith's Truck Farm

of 11 acres of the finest kind of land for trucking, and in the highest state of cultivation. It will speak for itself by observation. The improvements consist of an 8-room frame dwelling with nicely shaded lawn and good soft water. Truck, wagon, seed, corn, hog houses and barn, with one acre of meadow; situated on the Bristol and Doylestown trolley, 1-4 mile from Bristol, with close markets makes this a very desirable property for making money. Will be sold low and on easy terms if applied for soon. Call on or address H. H. GILLAM, or Langhorne, Pa.
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containing 15 acres of land of the best quality for garden purposes, clear of stone and high y productive, evidenced by the growing crops thereon. Two 7 room frame dwelling, 2 never-failing wells of excellent water, shade and fruit, large seed barn with storm cellar, wagon sheds and stables. This farm is located on the Doyles own and Bristol trolley line and adjoins the borough of Bristol on the north side. With the markets of Bristol and Burlington so close at hand makes it most desirable to the gardener. It can be sold with or without the growing crops, stock and implements at a bargain, if applied for at once. Possession given in 30 days. For further particulars call on or address HARVEY H. GILLAM,
7-7 Langhorne, Pa.

NOTICE.

To the Taxpayers of Bucks County.

IN pursuance of an Act of Assembly, entitled an Act relating to the collection of STATE and COUNTY TAXES in the county of Bucks, approved March 29, 1859, and also for the collection of DOG TAX, the County Treasurer will meet the taxpayers of said county, at the following times and places, to receive the taxes assessed for the present year 1904:

NORTHAMPTON. Richboro, Friday, July 29, at John F. Roberts' Hotel.

NORTHAMPTON. Richboro, Saturday, July 30, at Thomas C. Yeakel's Hotel.

DOYLESTOWN BOROUGH. At the Treasurer's Office, Doylestown, Bucks county, until August 21st, 1904.

Will be at the above named places from 9 o'clock a. m until 4 o'clock p. m. (except where different time is specified on bills, and on Saturdays, when the time will be from 9 o'clock a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m.) Important correspondence to insure attention must be accompanied by postage for reply, and in all cases the district wherein the property is located must be definitely given. Communications with money for taxes will not be received at the Treasurer's Office after August 20th.

Five per cent. added to State Tax not paid by August 1st.

No abatement on State and Dog Tax.

Five per cent abatement on County Tax paid on or before August 20th.

In pursuance to instructions received by me from the Auditor General, storekeepers and others will please take notice, that all Mercantile Licenses not paid to me by July 1st will be placed in the hands of a Justice of the Peace to be collected according to law.

CHAS. G. KNIGHT,
2-6 County Treasurer.

A Little While.

A little while, a week, a month, a day,
Or bright or shadowed years
Made glad with love, dear love, or fraught with tears,
And we shall learn the secret, find the way
To crown our hopes or justify our fears
For aye, for aye.

A little while, dear love, and you and I
Our waning day will close.
Then will the spirit whisper where it goes,
Its dwelling perished; bid the world good-by
And vanish as the perfume of the rose
Or as a sigh.

A little while, a very little while!
The days—the days fly fast
Then, portion of the sunlight or the blast,
How shall we know, with neither word nor smile
To tell us, we have met again—and passed—
Unseen the while?

Oh, such a little while, sweetheart, have we
To gentle be and kind
Ere we shall blend into the vagrant wind,
Shall mingle with the never sleeping sea.
Then, ever seeking, shall we ever find—
I, you—you, me?

—E. H. Sothern.

Slipping Away.

They are slipping away, the sweet, swift years,
Like a leaf on the current cast.
With never a break in their rapid flow,
We watch them as one by one they go
Into the beautiful past.

As silent and swift as a weaver's thread,
Or an arrow's flying gleam,
As soft as the languorous breezes hid
That lift the willow's long golden lid
And ripple the glassy stream;

As light as the breath of the thistle down,
As fond as a lover's dream,
As pure as the flush in the sea shell's throat,
As sweet as the wood bird's wooing note,
So tender and sweet they seem.

One after another we see them pass
Down the dimly lighted stair.
We hear the sound of their steady tread
In the steps of the centuries long dead,
As beautiful and as fair.

There's only a few years left to love,
Shall we waste them in idle strife?
Shall we trample under our ruthless feet
These beautiful blossoms, rare and sweet,
By the dusty way of life?

There's only a few swift years—ah, let
No envious taunts be heard.
Make life's fair pattern of rare design
And fill up the measure with love's sweet wine,
But never an angry word.

The Open Fireplace.

Some like apartments warmed by steam.
Some claim the furnace stands the test.
Some say in comfort they can dream
When rattling pipes lull them to rest.
They add, "To sleep it gives a zest,"
And makes them happy as can be.
But these to me are not the best—
The open fireplace for me!

Before the grate I sit and gaze.
The pictures there fill me with joy.
They bring back to my mind the days
When I was just a careless boy,
When foolish doubts did not annoy,
When life seemed ever gay and free.
With pipe and furnace I won't toy—
The open fireplace for me!

When night is here, and lights burn low,
I watch the flickering shadows play
Upon the floor. They come and go
As do one's thoughts, now grave, now gay.
Contentment mine? Well, I should say!
Life's better than I thought 'twould be
And more delightful every day—
The open fireplace for me!

L'ENVOI.

Yes, though on most things I'm not right,
This statement's true, you will agree—
Soft coal costs less than anthracite—
The open fireplace for me!

—Cincinnati Times-Star.

The Sea.

I stand upon the summit of my life,
Behind, the camp, the court, the field, the grove,
The battle and the burden; vast, afar
Beyond these weary ways, behold, the seal
The sea, o'erswept by clouds and winds and wings,
By thoughts and wishes manifold, whose breath
Is freshness and whose mighty pulse is peace.

Falter no question of the horizon dim—
Cut loose the bark! Such voyage itself is rest;
Majestic motion, unimpeded scope,
A widening heaven, a current without care,
Eternity! Deliverance, promise, course,
Time tired souls salute thee from the shore.

—Brownlee Brown.

"Old Sweethearts Are the Sweetest."

Old sweethearts are the sweetest,
As all true lovers know.
Old comforts are completest
In sun or shade or snow.
Say, sweetheart, is it so?
In gray and golden weather
We two go on together.
Old sweethearts are the sweetest,
As all true lovers know.

Old sweethearts are the sweetest,
As all true lovers know.
Young lover, as thou greetest
Thy sweetheart tell her so.
Ah, tell her, tell her so!
Time ties a golden tether
As we go on together.
Old sweethearts are the sweetest,
As all true lovers know.

—Wendell Phillips Stafford.

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE

John C Maule is ill with typhoid fever at his home on Washington street.

Horace G Young's delivery horse is in a critical condition with congestive colic

Mrs Harry Simpson was operated upon on Sunday for appendicitis at her home at Edgely

A marriage license was granted last week to Edward A. Downs and Miss Hanna A Murry, of Bristol

John J Tyiol last week purchased a team of magnificent iron gray draught horses weighing 2900 pounds

The engagement has been announced of Joseph McGrail, of Jersey City, and Miss Hannah Kessiah, of Bristol

W C Peirce has sold a house at the corner of Jefferson avenue and the rail road to Mrs. John Myers for $1050

An eight months old child of Mr and Mrs William L Bell, of Pond street, died yesterday morning of marasmus

John Barkins has erected a building and opened a first class fruit stand next to the canal bridge at the trolley terminus

Walter F Leedom has purchased of Charles Kerlor the bakery property on Market street near the fire engine house

Lussell S. Jenks and Miss Rena E. Buck, both of Bristol, were married by the Rev R A Baker, at Mt Holly, N. J, on Saturday, July 23.

A coal boat sunk at the Mill street wharf on Saturday night and as a consequence the steamers had to land at the Market street wharf on Sunday

The lumber has arrived for the construction of the big addition to the Corona K d Works. The brick work has been sub let to a Trenton contractor.

On account of the entertainment at the Algonquin Club this evening, the regular meeting of the Merchants Association has been postponed until next Thursday

Joseph Woodington, of Bristol, who was lodged in the county jail charged with assault and battery by his sister in law, has been released upon paying the costs

All but three storekeepers in Bristol have quit the practice of giving trading stamps to customers Saturday night the Green, Red Star and Elk signs were taken down

Mrs. Margaret Pearson, aged 80 years, died at 407 Lafayette street last Thursday of heart disease The deceased was a native of England and had resided in Bristol less than a year

Church services at Christ English Evangelical Lutheran Church, Cedar street, Sunday evening at 7 30 Theme of sermon, "The Unjust Steward." Sunday school at 3 p m.

Edna Louder, daughter of Edward D Louder, is ill with typhoid fever at her parents home on Washington street The family attribute the origin of the disease to the use of mill pond ice

Raymond Holsaeck, of Otter street, bookkeeper in the office of the National Tile Company at Morrisville, has been transferred to the New York office. He will reside in Jersey City.

Lawrence F. McOwen, Esq , who is a member of Company E, Sixth Regiment, N G P , is attending the State encampment on the battlefield at Gettysburg. He was elected clerk of the company.

Dont' forget the peach social to be given at the First Baptist Church on next Thursday evening, August 4th. The affair will be under the auspices of the ladies of the Pastor's Aid Society

McMullen Brothers have taken the agency for the famous Howe Scale Company's gasoline yachts and marine engines They will also keep all appliances for power boats such as propellers, etc

Mrs. Charles F. Hulse, of Chestnut Hill, has rented from the Girard Trust Company for her daughter, Mrs Burnet Landreth Jr., the house formerly occupied by Leopold Landreth on Radcliffe street.

Michael Frickley, aged 32 years, died of consumption at 2245 North Sixth street, Philadelphia, on Wednesday of last week The remains were brought to Bristol and interred in St. Mark's Cemetery on Saturday

The following item appeared in the Doylestown Intelligencer fifty years ago: "William Larzelere sold his farm of 94 acres on the turnpike adjoining Bristol for $200 per acre, to George Simmons and William Silbrook, of Philadelphia "

Miss Mary Harrity, daughter of Mrs. Maggie Harrity, age 21 years, died at her mother's home, 329 Buckley street, on Sunday, of consumption. The funeral yesterday morning was largely attended, the interment being at St Marks Cemetery.

A quoit pitching tournament has been in progress for a week among members of Good Will Hose Company There were 52 entries but the contest has narrowed down to a probable victory for either William Simons, Lewis Turner Hellings, John Lynn or James Moore.

List of letters remaining in the Bristol postoffice for the week ending July 27: Herbert Campbell, Ellwood Dyer, Fred Wood, D. C Herrell, George H. Ewing, Edwin Lever, Vincenzo Abele, Jennie Sharp, Albert Zimmerman, Antonio Bilania, Guiseppe Mezzina pre Francesco, photo, Miss Leavy.

The firm of W. H. Grundy & Co. is now receiving large consignments of wool, both foreign and western. Their large warehouses are full and they are storing it in the vacant floor space of the Columbia Wall Paper Company's mill and also the Bristol Rolling Mill Last week forty six cars arrived at one time.

Someone has figured out how far a farmer has to walk to attend to forty acres of corn. To plow the ground with sixteen inch plow he walks 350 miles; to harrow it thoroughly 50 miles more, and to cultivate it afterward 50 miles, making a total of 750 miles, in addition to husking it, when he will walk 150 miles more.

Harry Vanhorn, the veteran blacksmith, died at his home on Otter street, on Monday of consumption, after a prolonged illness. The deceased was 59 years old and had been in the blacksmithing business on Otter street for about 30 years. He came to Bristol in 1868 from Mechanicsville, in Bensalem township. The funeral services will take place at his late home this afternoon at two o'clock.

Republican County Committee.

A meeting of the Republican County Committee will be held in the Arbitration Room at the Court House in the Borough of Doylestown, Bucks county, Pa., on Saturday, August 6th, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of fixing the time and place for holding the convention to nominate a county ticket, and to transact other important business, By order of E. WESLEY KEELER, Chairman.
George W. McIntosh,
A. Harry Clayton,
Secretaries.

New Hope Bridge Open.

The new iron bridge over the Delaware, connecting New Hope with Lambertville N J, was opened for public travel on Saturday The event was celebrated by the company in allowing foot passengers and teams to go over free during the entire day The new bridge was erected on the piers of the old wood en structure that was washed away by the flood on the night of October 11 of last year

A Moonlight Ride on the Delaware.

On Tuesday evening a party of young Bristol people took a boat ride on a naptha launch down the river as far as the new railroad bridge The time passed quickly in a social way and the Never Tire Quartette furnished good singing. Among those present were Misses Anna Joyce, Tillie Schell, Tillie Delmar, Mabel Marke, Ethel Larabee Mattie Morris, Lucy Louder Bertha Bailey Mrs Neff Mrs. Groff, Messrs. Robert McMaster, Levi Groff, Eugene Taylor, Horace Hellings, Mr Swain, Mr Dwyer, Mr Hailey, John Bruden, Reilly Townsend

Cut in Wages at Steel's Mill

The cloth weavers at the mill of E T. Steel & Co , Bristol did not take kindly to a notice of a reduction in the piece scale of wages and on Tuesday about forty hands gave notice that when the week was up it was the intention to quit work The decision to give up the positions was reached as a result of a meeting held by the weavers

Yesterday, however, the proposed action was reconsidered, and the notice was withdrawn and work will be continued as usual

Work has been slack at the mill for some time and the mill is operated but five days a week The cut in wages is estimated to average about 12 per cent

The Chinaman Skipped

A score of Bristol men had to forego the luxury of clean collars Sunday because of the mysterious absence of Mark Wing who has been running a laundry in this town for a year Mark was a "Sunday school Chinaman," and had the good will of church people who solicited patronage for him He did a splendid business but disappeared last Wednesday, and is charged with having taken away with him all the clothes that had been left in his hands His customers crowded around the shop Saturday and, after they had been told by the owner of the building that Mark had vacated, they agreed to put a detective on his track There is a suspicion that he might have been caught in the Chinese gambling raid in Philadelphia last week.

A Young Folks Party

A very pleasant afternoon was spent on the lawn of Jacob Schimdt on Otter street on Monday in honor of his daughter Pearl's [illegible] birthday anniversary, which was a surprise party given by Miss May Spangler from two until five o clock Refreshments were served, after which the young folks went home wishing the hostess many more happy birthdays Those present were Sadie and Susie Smoyer, Viola Moore, Viola Hibbs, Cecilia and Maggie Swords, Hattie and Clifford Guy, Herbert and Earl Guy, Anna and Lizzie Simons Emma Molden, Carrie Moore Lidie and Maurice Spangler, Anna M Ginley, May Spangler, Jennie Claire, Marie Ennis Kathaleen McIlvaine, Clara and Walter Woolman, Lulu Hannabury Roy Carter, Ruth Magill, Jacob Simons, Ruth and Helen Schmidt, Wilson Magill, Maurice McIlvaine, Willie Woolman Pearl Schmidt, Jacob Schmidt, Jr , Johnson Hetherington, Albert Rothenhuger and Joseph Lyndall

District Conference Met Here

The Philadelphia District Conference of the Philadelphia Conference convened in Bethel Church, Wood street, Bristol, on July 21st, with Rev J B Stansberry, D D, presiding Reports were encouraging on the whole and with but few exceptions showed improvement over previous year The business of the conference was dispatched rapidly, yet with smoothness. Papers were read on the financial ability and moral worth of the people, the spiritual condition of the churches, on the condition of the public schools and of the Sabbath schools Discussions were had on all these subjects to the profit and encouragement of all present Among the distinguished visitors present were Rev D M Gordon, of the M E Church, Bristol, Rev T Gould, presiding elder of West Philadelphia District, Rev W H H Butler, presiding elder of the Harrisburg District, Rev T H Collett, business manager of the publication department of the A M E Church, and Mrs W H. Yeocum, president of the Philadelphia branch of the Woman's Missionary Society On Friday evening the conference closed, the members going home delighted with the hospitality of the pastor and people of Bristol

Bristol Merchants Association.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Merchants' Association of Bristol was held last Thursday evening in the parlor of the No. 2 Hose Company on Pond street There was a full representation of the business men of the town present and from the spirit and harmony of the meeting there are promising indications that hereafter there will be a strong organization that will have for its object the promotion of the general welfare of Bristol

While the organization was primarily formed to deal with the trading stamp question, there is no intention to cease labor when that matter has been settled satisfactorily to the merchants

At the meeting on Thursday short and pithy addresses were made by William C Peirce, Thomas B Barkins, B C Foster, B S Johnson, Harry Streeper, R T Myers, G. L Horn, M L Stone and others

Among the topics that were discussed were borough sewers and a merchants' freight boat to Philadelphia The organization is in earnest and if the same interest that is now displayed is maintained, the town will profit greatly. The town has greatly suffered from the lack of concentrated interest in municipal affairs, and the new organization is a move in the right direction

The officers of the Association are M. L. Stone, of Ellis & Co , president, H. G Young, secretary, and R. R Pearson, treasurer There is now a membership of seventy-one The next meeting will be held on next Thursday evening.

Mid-Summer Politics.

E L Leigh, the Bristol correspondent of the Doylestown Democrat, sent the following facetious article to his paper which was printed last week.

Work at some of the mills in town is rather slack The nomination of a Democratic candidate for President is assigned a cause.

But we do not see how, with the beneficent Dingley Tariff law in effect, even so great a calamity as the actual election of Judge Parker to the exalted position of President of the United States could possibly affect business According to our esteemed Republican contemporaries a high tariff is the save all and cure-all for every commercial ill

Apparently sane men of the Republican faith will tell you with perfect gravity that the panic of 1893 which occurred while the McKinley bill was in full force, was caused solely by the pernicious Wilson bill, which was not enacted until a year after.

Of course every Bristol Republican knows and firmly believes that the Wilson Tariff bill was gotten up by the wicked Democrats for the express purpose of destroying foreign commerce, as well as our home market, and their intention was to make this fair land a howling wilderness and if given another chance by the election of a Democratic President and House of Representatives they will again continue their fell designs against National prosperity.

The hope of this world is in the hard things we have to do.

LOCAL NEWS

Charles T Windle, for several years principal of the Southampton High School, has been appointed to a clerkship in the Department of Commerce at Washington, D C He recently passed a Civil Service examination.

Claiming that they had not received six months' back pay, the one train crew employed by the Quakertown and Eastern Railroad went on strike Saturday and the road has been tied up since. Durham Furnace, which furnished most of the freight business, has been idle for some time, and the receipts of the road have been lessened

Samuel Godshalk, a veteran of the Civil War, died on Monday morning at the home of his brother in law, Harvey Hill, who lives at the tollgate near Mt Pleasant, Hilltown township Mr Godshalk served through the war as a private in Company B Captain Orem, 104th Pennsylvania Volunteers, and was a pensioner He had been quite ill for some weeks He was a member of Bodine Post, No 306 G A. R , of Doylestown.

The Bucks County Medical Society will hold a meeting in the parlor of the Bush House, Quakertown, Wednesday, August 3 Papers will be presented by Dr. James S Raudenbush, of the Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia, Dr Alfred E Fretz, of Sellersville, Dr Julius T Vissel, of Perkasie, Dr John J Ott, of Pleasant Valley, and Dr J L Cawley of Springtown A number of visiting physicians are expected to be present and participate in the discussion.

John W Hagerty a prominent farmer residing at Bucksville, died very suddenly from apoplexy on Friday. He was about 56 years of age Mr Hagerty went out into the truck patch early in the morning, asking his son to follow him with a horse and wagon When the son arrived at the truck patch he found his father lying on the ground unconscious He was taken into the house and medical aid was summoned, but he died the same evening without regaining consciousness.

When the committee charged with filling the vault of the corner stone of the new Bucks county historical building made a request at the United States mint at Philadelphia for the coins bearing the date of 1904, it was found that there was not a single 25 cent coin of 1904 in the building A very few had been coined early in the year, but the supply had long since been exhausted A National bank on Chestnut street received a shipment of 10 000 from the New Orleans mint some weeks ago, but they were entirely gone with the exception of about a dozen, one of which was received for deposit in the corner stone

Personal Mention.

Mrs William Trudgen is sojourning at Asbury Park

Miss Estella Winter is enjoying a vacation at Atlantic City

Miss Laura B King is visiting Miss Grace Graf, of Haddonfield, N. J

Mr and Mrs Alexander Morrison have gone to Atlantic City for two weeks

Mrs William L. Joyce and sister, Mrs. Vandyke Rue, are sojourning at Asbury Park

Robert Coleman has returned from a several days visit with friends in Norristown

Mrs John Trude, of Philadelphia, has been visiting Bristol relatives for several days.

Miss Lillie Pierson and Edna Howell, of Philadelphia, are visiting Miss Esther Daniels

John K Young and Serrill Douglass, druggists, took a trip to Allentown by trolley on Sunday

Misses Anna McIlvain, May Roche and Mary McIlvain were visiting in Philadelphia this week.

Mrs. Joseph S Thomas returned to Bristol Tuesday evening after an extended visit in the West

Mrs John S Kilcoyne and children left on Monday for a fortnight's sojourn at Delaware Water Gap

Rev and Mrs Brown, of Ambler, Pa., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs Robert Muschert

Miss Ethel and Mulford Callanan are spending part of their vacation with relatives in Frankford, Pa

William K Highland has returned after spending several days with Ralph L Morrow at Plainfield, N. J

Mrs. George Callanan, Jr , spent several days with her sister, Mrs J C Chance, in Camden, N J, this week

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pickup, of Camden, are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Heslop, on Lafayette street.

Philip Winter, Jr , Samuel Hoffnagle and Richard Wadge spent a couple of days in Chester county this week

Miss Lena Wichser, of Jefferson avenue, is spending a two weeks' vacation visiting friends in New Brunswick

The Misses Marion, Florence and Rebecca Iredell, of New York City, are visiting their relatives, the Misses Iredell.

Mrs Allie Myers and two sons, Alvis and Wayne, have returned to their home in Newark N J , after two weeks visit here.

Miss Louisa Iredell and Charles Iredell Thomas have returned home after a ten days' sojourn in the Pocono mountains.

Mrs. Elizabith Foster and her granddaughter, Miss Lizzie Vanzant, are spending two weeks with relatives in New Hope, Pa

Mrs James Harris, of Lambertville, N. J, is spending several weeks with her sister Mrs David C. Taylor, on Dorrance street

Mrs. Michael Wear and her sister Miss Christina, of Brooklyn, N Y, are the guests of their brother, William S. Guy, on Swain street.

Mrs William Lorimer and family have gone to Nova Scotia, to join Mr. Lorimer, who has a position as dyer in a large factory at Sherbrooke.

Philip Winter, the Mill Street Shoe dealer, and his two sons are spending a week taking in the sights of the metropolis and Coney Island.

Mrs Benjamin Tomlinson has returned to Holmesburg, Pa , where she will spend the rest of the summer months with her son, William Tomlinson.

Hillborn Leedom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F Leedom, and Frank Bell left today for St. Louis, where they will spend ten days taking in the sights at the fair.

Randall Worthington spent several days last week taking in the sights at Coney Island, Manhattan Beach, New York and other points He was greatly impressed with the method of training race horses at Sheepshead Bay.

A Unique Distinction.

Montgomery County has the unique distinction of possesing the only Court House in the State and possibly the nation, which has no dock erected in it. The prisoners dock, which is always from time immemorial a part of the equipment of a court room for the administration of criminal justice, will not be found in either of the court rooms of the new Court House. There were some of the things bought and paid for that did not turn out as expected nor accord with the furnishings of the rooms no matter how they were placed therein. In fact the county received two docks all right but there was too much docks for the harmony of appearance, and were relegated to the lumber room in the basement close to the grand entrance on Swede street.

Prominent Langhorne Man Dead.

David Matlack, widely known as dean of the iron foundry industry and superintendent of the foundry at Cramps' shipyard, Philadelphia, died suddenly Monday night at his home, Langhorne

Although Mr Matlack was 72 years old, his death was unexpected He was hale and hearty, and no later than Monday attended to his duties at the shipyard as usual, and appeared to be in unusually good health and spirits. He returned to his home on an early train, and shortly after eating dinner died. His death is attributed to heart disease.

When the news of his death reached the shipyard Tuesday morning it was received with feelings of regret by both his employers and thousands of workmen His genial manner and kindly disposition had endeared him to all

Mr Matlack was born near Broad and Market streets, Philadelphia, which was at that time considered to be the outskirts of the city His father was a builder, and engaged in the erection of an iron foundry for the old firm of I. P. Morris & Co The plant was built at Cooper and Seventh streets, which is now Sixteenth and Market streets, and Mr Matlack, then a youth, became interested in the new process of manufacturing iron, and secured a position as a journeyman with the firm

He became an expert foundryman and fifty-six years ago was made superintendent for the firm, which in the meantime had erected a more extensive plant in Port Richmond About a dozen years ago, when the Cramps bought the property from the I P Morris Company, Mr Matlack was retained in the position of general superintendent.

He is survived by six children—three sons and three daughters.

To Prevent Pollution of Streams.

Food and game fish in the streams of eastern Pennsylvania must be protected even at the expense of the manufactories located along the banks, was the idea expressed in a paper read before the American Fisheries Commission at their opening meeting at Atlantic City on Tuesday by W. E. Meehan, Fish Commissioner of Pennsylvania.

Nearly a hundred members of the commisson were present at the meeting, including some of the leading fish culturists of the country Mr Meehan spoke of the work of the Pennsylvania Fish Commission organized but a year ago and said that great interest was being taken in the work not only by people in the State at large but the citizens of Philadelphia, who had voted $5000 toward the work of the commission last year, with promises of still more liberal help in the future In referring to the preparation of a bill now before them, to be presented to the next Legislature to provide for better protection of food fish in the waters of the State, Mr Meehan said

'From our investigations we found that to remove the cause of some of the pollution of streams and river that whole business interests of some communities would have to be removed. It is not the department's attitude to destroy industries, but we hold that industries must not destroy the fish Our new bill has met with the approval of manufacturers of and all of the legislators to whom it has been presented In brief it provides that no new industries are to be permitted to cause pollution of the waters of Pennsylvania and that where such pollution exists it may be abolished by the State Board of Health at the expense jointly of the State and the manufacturer affected "

He spoke also of the hope of the fish commissioners for an aquarium in Fairmount Park to be erected in the near future

A Row Among Picnicers

The Bristol correspondent of the Doylestown Intelligencer gives the following account of a fracas that took place last Thursday during a colored picnic:

An exciting scene was witnessed at Burlington Island Park Thursday, July 21st when colored individuals from Camden, Philadelphia, Trenton and surrounding towns went for a day's outing to the resort on the Delaware river, opposite Bristol It was their desire that they all go together on one day and at one place in order that they may enjoy themselves more fully, but it was the worse move possible. They were not all of one mind, consequently misunderstandings took place at short intervals.

One colored maiden about 19 years of age, weighing in the neighborhood of 90 pounds was seen trying to convince three women whose combined weight would almost reach the four figures, that her way was the only way. The three women thought differently and convinced her after they had used her for a football and punching bag for ten minutes Things got so bad that the manager of the park had to appeal to the Burlington police for protection

Mr Wanger "Up in the Air"

Norristown Times.

Some months ago Hon. I. P. Wanger, Representative in Congress of this district, was in one of the Court House offices, at Norristown, chatting with several officials about men and affairs, when the subject turned to that of airships in general and Prof. Langley's creation specifically.

"Did you ever know," asked Mr. Wanger, "that I once had a most interesting ride with Prof. Langley in one of his ships? '

"No," responded his auditors, "tell us about it.'

"It was last summer," continued Mr. Wanger. I was on my way to Europe on a Cunard liner. Shortly after we left port I learned that Prof. Langley and one of his ships were on board, and that his purpose was, when about 300 miles out at sea, to launch the concern and endeavor to return to land upon it.

"Shortly after hearing this fact I was introduced to the aerialist. He immediately invited me to accompany him on the trip ' He assured me there would be absolutely no danger, as his machine, if it should fail to fly, would be sure to float on the ocean In that latitude ships large and small were constantly passing, and in case of an accident of that kind the voyagers would soon be picked up. For quite a while I de[illegible] finally concluded to accept [illegible] invitation to secure an unique exp[illegible]

In that eloquent manner which has held spellbound so many thousands of auditors since Mr Wanger began his public career, the distinguished lawyer and legislator then told of the launching of the ship and the voyage in mid-air In thrilling tones he vividly described the passing through cloud banks, the appearance of the ocean beneath, the amazed look of sailors on ships passed over en route, the appearance of New York harbor viewed as a bird views it, the unique sensation of actually flying, and the finally safe landing on the lawn at Battery Park, near Castle Garden.

So gravely and forcibly was the story told that many of the narrator's hearers actually believed it. It was not until recently that these latter learned, through Mr. Wanger's own confession to them, that the story was a "fake," a "warm weather joke" played upon overcredulous friends.

All will agree, however, that as it stands it is a striking illustration of the vivid imaginative power and skill in word-painting possessed by our Congressman.

"Good manners" says Swift, "is the art of making those people easy with whom we converse; whoever makes the fewest persons uneasy is the best bred man in the company."

Aunt Evlry: "Yes, pa is out in the orchard prunin' some o' the trees." City Boarder: "Oh do you really raise your own prunes? My, how lovely!"

There is none made so great but he may both need the help and service, and stand in fear of the power and unkindness even of the meanest mortals.

CHILD FRIGHTENED TO DEATH

JOSEPH HEISER WHILE IN A FIT CHASED MARION RANKIN AND SHE DIED OF CONVULSIONS

Sorrow pervades the village of Andalusia because of the death of Marian Rankin, the six-year-old daughter of Samuel Rankin, a florist, which occurred as the result of fright caused by a demented man, Joseph Heiser, who pursued the child

For several years past, Heiser, who is a laborer, twenty-eight years old, has been suffering with epilepsy, but not until late Monday afternoon has he ever attempted violence In addition to frightening little Marian Rankin, he assaulted Motorman Clover, of the Holmesburg, Tacony and Frankford Electric Railway, grabbed an umbrella from Mrs Louisa Smith, struck two small boys on Frankford avenue, and attempted to assault Herbert Meyers, a bartender at the Red Lion Hotel. Heiser had not been in the village for several weeks until he entered the Red Lion Hotel

He attempted to jump over the bar and strike Myers, who has recently been employed at the hotel L O T Hall, proprietor of the historic hostelry, who was in an adjoining room, heard the disturbance and had Heiser ejected after much difficulty. After leaving the hotel, according to Mr Hall, Heiser started to walk down the Bristol pike. Suddenly he broke into a run and began to wave his hands and yell "Hurrah!" "Hurrah!" in a loud voice.

Near the blacksmith shop of Scott Terry, Heiser first saw little Marian Rankin Since she was a baby the child had been afraid of the man. When she saw him approaching with his eyes blazing with fury and his arms and head moving rapidly, the child cried out, "Mamma, Mamma," and fled in terror toward her parents' home, which was about forty feet distant Heiser ran alongside the child for a few steps when she suddenly fell to the narrow sidewalk The demented man did not notice this but continued to run at a fast gait.

Mrs Rankin, the child's mother, heard her screams and had started toward her when Herbert Terry, a neighbor, picked the little one up She was carried to her parents' home and placed on a chair in the kitchen, where she expired in convulsions in two minutes

Heiser's sister, who lives a short distance from the Rankins, was horrified when he came home on Monday afternoon and, after frightening everyone from the house, began to throw the furniture from the window.

It was shortly before 5 o'clock on Monday afternoon when Heiser sauntered into the barroom of the historic Red Lion Inn

He had not been seen for several weeks, but no one in the tavern paid especial attention to him Heiser sauntered up to the bar and then it was that Herbert Myers, the bartender, noticed a peculiar look in his eyes.

"Give us a drink," said Heiser unsteadily Myers declared that the man did not act like an intoixcated person, but he refused to sell the drink.

"Nothing doin', eh?" said Heiser, angrily ' I'll fix you "

He made a run for the bar and started to clamber over the railing toward Myers. Just then John Reed, the other bartender, entered the room The two bar tenders rushed at Heiser and fairly took him off his feet Before he knew what had happened the frenzied man was lying in the road in front of the inn He arose shouting and swearing and started for the Red Lion road, which leads from the hotel at right angles to the Bristol pike The Rankin home is located about two hundred yards along the road from the inn

After frightening the girl so that she died of convulsions, and unconscious of her death, Heiser continued along the Red Lion road screaming and waiving his hands. He reached his home, a short distance away, and when his sisters saw him coming they fled in terror to a nearby cornfield. Heiser ascended to the second floor and, after throwing the furniture about the room, he seized a chair and, after shattering the glass pane, threw it from the window.

The exercise seemed to have sobered Heiser, for his frenzy disappeared and he strolled back along the Red Lion road He passed the Rankin home, ignorant of the fact that the litle girl lay dead within As he reached the porch of the Red Lion Inn, Mr Hall, the proprietor, who had not heard of the child's death, approached Heiser Hall saw that the fit had evidently left him

"Why don't you take a trolley ride, Joe?" said Hall. "The air'll do you good "

Heiser mumbled a reply and boarded a Frankford car which stood in front of the inn He took his seat on the front platform behind Motorman Clover. He remained quiet until Collegeville was reached, two miles away.

He leaped from his seat and in the same wild frenzy rushed at Clover. The motorman was taken completely off his guard and both men fell struggling on the platform Heiser's frenzy was more than a match for Clover's strength and the insane man soon got the mastery Meanwhile the car sped over the rails with no hand at the controller Harry Simpson, the conductor, did not notice the struggle until he heard Clover's cry. Then he rushed to the front platform in time to prevent Heiser from braining the motorman with the handle of the controller.

The combined efforts of Clover and Simpson finally resulted in the overpowering of Heiser They placed him on the floor of the car and Simpson held him there while the motorman drove ahead at full speed At the Pennypack road Clover overtook one of the policemen of the Tacony Station. Heiser was turned over to the policeman, who took him to the station house

He was arraigned before Magistrate O'Brien, who decided to hold him awaiting the action of the Bucks county authorities, in which county Andalusia is located. The Coroner's inquest was held in the house adjoining the Rankin home at noon and the verdict returned that the child had met her death from shock caused by the insane actions of Joseph Heiser. The recommendation was made that Heiser be kept in custody as a safeguard to the public Constable Al Smith, of Cornwells, took Heiser from the Tacony Station House to Doylestown, Tuesday afternoon

Senator Penrose Offered a Million.

A million for a constitution! That's the latest cry in Washington. But in this case the constitution does not refer to nations, but to individuals It came about this way:

Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, is the picture of robust health and vigor. He is tall, well-built, and has the endurance of an Indian. Just before the adjournment of Congress, Penrose came into the Senate appearing more vigorous than ever. Senator Alger, of Michigan, sits immediately in the rear of Penrose. His health, never strong, was broken down while he was Secretary of War under McKinley during the Spanish-American hostilities.

He leaned over to Penrose, and said to him:

"Senator, I envy you, and I willingly would give a million dollars to possess your health and vigor." And the best part of this lies in the fact that Senator Alger has the million to give away if necessary, and many addtional millions besides.

Penrose looked at him a moment and then replied with deliberation:

"Senator, I should like to serve you, and should like to have a million dollars; but even if I had the power to do it I wouldn't sell my health for ten times one million dollars."

Character is made as coral reefs are built up by a multitude of tiny creatures, whose united labors are strong enough to breast the ocean.

True bravery is shown by preforming without witness what one might be capable of doing before all the world.

NEW TODAY.

Public Sale of Household Goods.

ON Saturday, July 30th, at 2 o'clock p m , on Cedar street, near Mill, there will be sold at public sale Household Goods of every description Come and get bargains
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Charter Notice.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks County

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the above Court on Monday, August 22d, 1904, at 10 o'clock a m , under the Corporation Act of 1874 of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "THE ITALIAN BENEFICIAL ASSOCIATION," the character and object of which is the maintenance of a society for the beneficial and protective purposes to its members from funds collected therein, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements

The proposed charter will be on file in the Prothonotary's office on and after August 1st, 1904.
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July 28th—3t

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Miss S Turner, 721 Lake street
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Mrs J Dugan, 623 Race street
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Application For Charter.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, the 9th day of August, 1904, by James L Frazer, Frank G. Edwards, Walter F Leedom and W R Molinard, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called 'Frazer Construction Company " the character and object of which is the constructing of streets, roads, highways, viaducts, sewers, pavements, dams and buildings of every kind, excavating and grading for the same and for any and all improvements either public or private and to do teaming and everything pertaining to a general contracting and constructing business, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its supplements
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Application for Charter.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on Monday, August 15th A D 1904, by Carl E Wilton, Lewis M. Worthington, Angus C York, Mathias J Lincoln and William G Buckman, under the provisions of the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Wilton Mfg. Co ," the character and object of which is for manufacturing show cases, shop and store fixtures, brackets, and other articles of like character from metal, glass, porcelain and wood or all or any of the same alone or in combination, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements
HOWARD I. JAMES,
FRANKLIN GILKESON,
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Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate.

BY virtue of a writ of Lavari Facias, to me directed, will be sold at public sale, THURSDAY, JULY 28th, 1904, at 2 o'clock p m , on the premises, in the Township of Bristol, Bucks County, Pa , all the following described real estate, to-wit

All that certain messuage or tenement and tract of land situate and being in the Township of Bristol aforesaid, bounded and described as follows Beginning at a stone for a corner in the middle of the public road leading from Emilie to Bristol in a line of James C King's land and a corner of land late of David C VanHorn's land, thence by the same north sixty-nine degrees east thirteen perches and fifty-six hundredths of a perch at another corner of lands late of David C VanHorn in a line of land of John Breisford, thence by the same north eighteen degrees east thirty-three perches and two-tenths of a perch to a stone at a corner in the middle of a public road leading from the Newportville road to said public road leading from Emilie to Bristol at a corner of land of said John Breisford in a line of said James King's land, thence along the middle of said James King's land, thence along the middle of said public road leading from the said Newportville road to said public road leading from Emilie to Bristol by said James C. King's land south sixty-six and a half degrees east fourteen perches to a stone at a corner in said public road leading from Emilie to Bristol, thence along the middle thereof by the said James C King's land to the place of beginning. Containing two acres and one hundred and forty perches of land, be the same more or less

The improvements consist of a two-story frame house, 23x34 feet, one-story frame kitchen attached, 12x16 feet, porch in front The house contains three rooms on first floor, two rooms on second floor, cellar, water at house Also a frame barn, 18x24 feet, open shed attached, wagon house, chicken house, wood shed, etc.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of Aaron B Stackhouse, mortgagor, and Euclides Stackhouse, Amy Wright, Mary C Pippin, Elwood F Ashmore, Mary E. Muffit, Martin Phillips, Joseph Phillips, Samuel Phillips, William Phillips, Sarah Lyons, Mary Tester, Louis Elwood Phillips, Joseph S Phillips, Melvina E Phillips, Laura Amy Phillips, a minor having no guardian, William Alvin Phillips, a minor having no guardian, Sadie May Phillips, a minor having no guardian, Jacob T Phillips, a minor having no guardian, Clara Hogeland and John Mahoney. real owners of the land charged, and E. Wesley Keeler, guardian ad litem for Laura Amy Phillips, William Alvin Phillips, Sadie May Phillips, and Jacob T Phillips, minors, and to be sold by
W HARRY SMITH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Doylestown, Pa ,
July 7 —3t.

School Tax

The "Duplicate" having been placed in my hands, I am now prepared to receive the school tax at my place of business, on

DORRANCE STREET

From 9 A. M., to 3 O'Clock P. M.

Prompt payment will secure a deduction of Five per cent.

EDW. H. FOSTER, Treas.
BRISTOL SCHOOL BOARD.
Bristol, 6th Month (June) 30, 1904.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Advertisements under this head will be inserted for half a cent a word No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

LOST—On Sunday, a silver-handle Ladies' Umbrella left either in one of the Bristol stores or on Morrisville trolley car Reward if returned to P O, Box 203, or to Lintenhurst," Bloomsdale

LOST—On Saturday evening on Radcliffe street, gentleman's watch charm, bloodstone, carved Return to 419 Radcliffe street Reward

WANTED—Girl for general housework Apply 214 Jefferson avenue

I have on my list several investment properties netting 7 to 14 per cent interest Call or write WILL SAILER, 319 Radcliffe street Bristol

FOR RENT—Brick house on Lafayette street, 9 rooms, hot and cold water steam heat Terms moderate, CHARLES DEAN 351 Lafayette street. 7 28 2t

STORE ROOM and stable for rent. J A Long, 117 Mulberry street, Bristol

FOR SALE—One cook stove, No 6, for $2 Apply to Herman Schubert, at the German Club house.

I have several buyers for small investment properties from $500 to $1000 What have you to offer? WILL SAILER, 319 Radcliffe street

FOR SALE—Two silver mounted show cases and a sideboard The Ark, Mill street

FOR RENT—Two rooms Apply 215 Jefferson avenue 7-14-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Nine room house, 219 Dorrance street Hot air heater, bath, hot and cold water, back stairway Good condition Apply to N Morgan Stephen Bristol Carpet Mills 7 7-tf

ROOMS FOR RENT—Apply to 500 Bath street 7 14-tf

WOULD like to add to my already large list some small investment properties from $1200 down WILL D Sailer, 319 Radcliffe street

WANTED—All ladies to have their shampooing done at Mrs C Neff's Shampooing Parlor, 307 Washington street. Side entrance 7 21 3t

FOR SALE—Gasoline yacht, 21 feet long, 6 feet beam, 4 h high speed Howe Scale engine Can be seen in the basin Price $100 Apply McMullen Bros , Bristol 7 21

PASTURE FOR RENT—Good pasturage for either cattle or horses Apply to J Quinby, Newportville, Pa 7 21 2t

BOARDING—Will take man and wife in private family 203 Washington St 6 16 tf

FOR SALE—Valuable lot on Buckley street, between Bath and the race bridge about 100x50 feet Apply Mrs Joseph Bailey, 605 Bath street, Bristol 6 16-tf

FOR SALE—9 room house, barn, 2 acres of ground in Tullytown borough Price $2 000 Apply to A B Shoemaker, Tullytown, Pa 3 1'tf

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Estate Notice

Estate of LOUIS A HOGUET, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County Pa , deceased

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having legal claims will present them without delay, in proper form for settlement, to
MARIA HOGUET, Executrix
John C Stuckert, Attorney 7 14 6t

Estate Notice.

Estate of CATHARINE B KELLY, late of Bristol Borough, deceased

LETTERS testamentary having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having legal claims will present them without delay, in proper form for settlement to
JOSEPH Q BLOOMSBURG,
517 Market Street,
Camden N J
KIRKWOOD KELLY,
357 Pavonia St ,
Jersey City, N J
Executors
or
Gilkeson & James,
Attorneys Bristol, Pa 6 30-6t

Administrators Notice.

Estate of THOMAS W PATTON Deceased

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of Thomas W Patton, deceased, late of Bristol, Pa , trading as Thomas W Patton & Co , have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims will present them to
JOHN A PATTON,
926 Tree St , Philadelphia,
ANNA M PATTON,
2344 S Colorado St., Philadelphia,
Administrators.
Or to their Attorney,
P J. BRADLEY,
June 16 6t 14 S. Broad St , Philadelphia.

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OWNER having removed to the City will sacrifice her home in Tullytown, situate on the Main street The house is modern in every respect and in perfect order with hard wood finish, cement cellar with heater, underground drainage, fine porch, &c , large lot. Apply to Charles C. Kareckson, 729 Walnut street, Philadelphia. 4-14-tf.

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Finest Cream Cheese,	10c
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1000 Parlor Matches.	4c
12 large Nutmegs,	5c
20c Coffee,	17c
Keystone Condensed Milk,	8c
New White Mackerel,	12c lb.
Best Gloss Starch,	3c
Finest Creamery Butter,	22c
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Good Stewing Beef,	8c
Nice Spring Lamb,	12c
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Estate Notice.

Estate of ANNA L. DELLINGER, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County, Pa., deceased.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having legal claims will present them without delay, in proper form for settlement to
H. S. RUE, Administrator
Gilkeson & James, Attorneys.

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A DOG'S TESTIMONY.

It Was In His Own Defense and Was Irresistible.

In one of the Prague district courts recently a foreman named Dastych sued a manufacturer named Weinwert, alleging the latter's dog had bitten him, thereby rendering him for some time unfit for work The dog was produced in court and the services of a veterinary surgeon were requisitioned as expert evidence. Herr Dosensy, in the presence of the judge, did his utmost to irritate the dog, and even struck it, but all to no purpose. The dog remained calm, and finally, finding the proceeding monotonous, crept under a stool. "Quiet as a lamb!" was the finding of the veterinary surgeon; but "Oh, no," said the foreman, "the dog behaves itself because its master is present." So the dog was taken out into the corridor, among the public, this time unmuzzled, and the veterinary again tried his best to irritate the animal. Doggy wagged his tail, offered first one paw and then the other, and, its advances being rudely repelled by the unfeeling veterinary, ran back into court, sat upon its hind legs before the judge, and begged! Not even the hard heart of a judge could resist this appeal, and the animal left the court without a stain upon its character.

FISH FED BY HAND.

Many Specimens of the Finny Tribe Are Easily Tamed.

Experiments made in a large aquarium have proved that fish may be easily tamed and trained. This is particularly true of blue perch. They soon consent to taking their food—ulva, a green, lettucelike weed—from the hand, and do not at all object to being handled. A huge kelp cod, a splendid specimen of rich blue and green hues, that was kept in the same tank with the perch, readily learned to feed from the hand, and seemed to enjoy being scratched and rubbed.

Sea slugs, too—singular, shell-less things possessing the faculty of secreting a purple fluid which they throw out in self defense—took their regular meal of seaweed from their feeder's fingers without the slightest fear Sticklebacks, perch, bass and catfish are among the most easily tamed fish, and the story is told of an old fisherman who day after day fed a large horse mackerel in the open sea with pieces of the fish he cleaned It gradually got into the habit of coming nearer and nearer to where the boat was tethered until, finally convinced that it would not be harmed, it consented to take its daily meal directly from the fisherman's hand

YOUGHIOGHENY.

The Proper Way of Pronouncing This Indian Name.

Perhaps the most difficult geographical name in the United States is Youghiogheny, or geny, as it is sometimes spelled, the name of a creek in western Maryland and Pennsylvania Few besides natives of the region pronounce it with the chief accent on the penultimate and who so essays it with the accent elsewhere finds his mouth filled with a meaningless confusion of vowels and consonants. The first syllable is "Yough," pronounced "Yo," with a short "o." The second is "i" short, the "o" following is almost if not quite unheard in the mouth of the native, while the last two syllables are those made familiar in "Alleghany," though there is even here a question of "a" long or "e" short.

The pronunciation of Youghiogheny is, however a simple matter with the modern spelling compared to what it must have seemed to the stranger who met it with the old spelling. On an ancient map of the region the name is spelled "Yoghyyoyghganis" Doubtless this spelling came nearer than that now in use to indicating aptly the Indian pronunciation of the name

Only a Beginning.

Job showed the little round sore spot on his arm to his physician.

"What is that, doctor?" he asked.

"That is a boil," pronounced the medical man after a brief examination.

"A boil!" echoed Job. "Well, that's a new one on me!"

Later, however, there were others on him.—Chicago Tribune.

What He Meant.

New Boarder—What did that fellow mean in the dining room when he told me he knelt before ten women this afternoon? Did he propose to them? Cravat Clerk—No; he's a shoe clerk.—Cleveland Leader.

In the Same Spirit.

Larry—I sent Maude a garter snake in alcohol for a joke. Harry—What did she do? Larry—Oh, she returned it in the same spirit in which it was sent.—Princeton Tiger

Some one has said four boxes rule the world—cartridge box, ballot box, jury box and bandbox.

A MOTHER'S LOVE.

A mother's love is so divine that the neediest man cannot help but appreciate it as the crown of womanhood. However, Motherhood is looked forward to with feelings of great dread by almost all women. At such times a woman is nervous, dyspeptic irritable, and she is in need of a uterine tonic and nervine, a strength builder to fit her for the ordeal. No matter how healthy or strong a woman may be she cannot help but be benefited by taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to prepare for the event.

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"With a heart overflowing with gratitude I will endeavor to write you. It is nearly two years ago since I first wrote to you for advice regarding my health which was then very bad," writes Mrs. L. Fryer, of Edmondale, Ky., to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. "I followed the directions of the 'Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute,' at Buffalo, N. Y. 'I have described my sufferings in other letters to you. After receiving your advice and using Dr. Pierce's Medical Advisor' I bought three of your 'Favorite Prescription,' and now I am a well woman and the proud mother of a dear little boy."

Backed up by over a third of a century of remarkable cures, a record such as no other remedy for the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women ever attained, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription now for sale by druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of fifty cents in stamps, for any case of Female Weakness, Prolapsus, or "falling of the womb" which they cannot cure. All correspondence is held sacredly confidential, and a fair and reasonable fee is charged for advice of cost.

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A TANTALIZING FISH.

The Ways of the Salmon Are Beyond Finding Out.

Who knows the way of the eagle in the air or of the salmon in the sea? Of all fish the most tantalizing, he has been the life study of thousands of men. Yet how little any one really knows about him, and how conflicting is the testimony as to what is known! If you want to get the idea that there is no such thing as abstract truth, you can form that opinion quickly by sitting in front of the fireplace in a fishing club some evening when the most experienced members are present and feel like talking There is scarcely any proposition connected with the life history of this fish upon which any two men of forty or fifty years' experience in salmon fishing will agree. The biography of the fish is filled with puzzling blanks You catch a glimpse of him in his infancy He mysteriously disappears, returns during adolescence and then is gone again until, on his third appearance, the infant has grown to be fully mature Who would think the childish smolt of a few ounces that slips quietly down river in the early spring could come back the same summer in the pride of youth as a three or four pound grilse? And the next time he goes upon what meat doth he feed that he jumps to maturity and ten pounds weight? What ports does he visit while he is off on his deep sea cruise? Where does he keep the chart by which, after his far away wanderings, he unerringly returns to his birthplace? And why do many grilse come to some rivers and comparatively few or none to others? In Miramichi waters there are in August ten grilse to every full grown salmon In the Tobique there are scarcely any grilse at all.—From "The Trout of the Nepisiguit" by Frederic Irland, in Scribner's

Getting a Good Start.

"Miss Sophie," beloved benefactress of half the poor of New Orleans, sat at her desk writing when an elderly woman who had made many previous demands upon her was ushered in.

"Oh, Miss Sophie," she said breathlessly, "I want to borrow a dollar, please, right away."

"What do you need the money for, Ermagarde?"

"Well now, you see, I'm going to get married, and I need it for the license"

"But if the man you are to marry cannot pay for the license how is he going to support you?"

"That's just what I want to explain to you, Miss Sophie You see, tomorrow is Thanksgiving, and we are coming to your free dinner Then you always give us something to take home, and in the evening the King's Daughters are going to have a basket distribution, and we shall each get one That will keep us a week easily, and by that time we'll be on our feet"

Chaucer's Face In a Stone.

In the geological branch of the British museum the visitor is shown a wonderful specimen of natural imitation in a small "ribbon jasper." This stone, the material of which is not unlike that of other banded agates, has upon its surface a perfect miniature portrait of the poet Chaucer Every detail is startlingly correct There are the white face, the pouting lips, the broad, low forehead and even the whites of the slightly upturned eyes The attendants say that it is utterly impossible to convince even some of the educated visitors that it is not an artificial production

Rhymes For Timbuktu.

Timbuktu is chiefly interesting as the subject of verses submitted for a prize offered many years ago by Punch for rhymes to that curious name. One of the verses was:

If I were a cassowary
On the plains of Timbuktu,
I would eat a missionary,
Skin and bones and hymn book too.

Another, with a more perfect rhyme, ran thus

As I was hunting on the plains,
All on the plains of Timbuktu,
A buck was all I got for my pains,
And he was a slim buck too

Quick Dispatch.

A bill was once stuck on the shop window of a tradesman in the Friedrichstrasse, Berlin, setting forth that "these premises are temporarily closed owing to the marriage of the proprietor, to be reopened in twenty minutes."

If You Would Live.

If your name is to live at all, it is so much more to have it live in people's hearts than only in their brains. I don't know that one's eyes fill with tears when he thinks of the famous inventor of logarithms, but a song of Burns' or a hymn of Charles Wesley's goes straight to your heart, and you can't help loving both of them, sinner as well as saint. The work of other men lives, but their personality dies out of their labors. The poet who reproduces himself in his creation as no other artist does or can goes down to posterity with all his personality blended with whatever is imperishable in his song.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Tarring and Feathering.

The practice of tarring and feathering, which we regard as essentially American, belongs to Great Britain. To us the honor of inventing or adopting that very disagreeable mode of punishment belongs. Among the laws for the preservation of order when King Richard sailed on his crusade was one that any soldier convicted of theft should have his head shaved, be stripped of his clothes, have melted pitch poured all over him, after this be covered with feathers and so set ashore at the first land that was touched.—London Queen.

Smoking In Korea.

All men and women in Korea, whatever their age or station, smoke tobacco incessantly. The bowls of their pipes are so small that they only hold a pinch or two of tobacco, and the stems are so long that the smoker is unable to apply a match to his own pipe. The cooly carries his pipe thrust down his neck between his coat and his back; the Korean gentleman carries his in his sleeve.

One Consolation.

Patient (feebly)—Doctor, do you think I shall survive the operation? Proud Physician—Well, sir, if you don't, you have the satisfaction of knowing that it cost nearly twice as much as any similar op performed in the city.

GEMS IN VERSE

My Mamma's Lap.

I like t play wif dollies, an' I like t' go t' school,
I like t' jump my skippin' rope in mornin s when it's cool,
I like t play go visitin' while dolly takes her nap,
But sometimes nuffin else 'll do but sit in mamma s lap.

I like t' climb th' peach tree, an' I like t' make mud pies,
I like t play wif puppy, an' I like a birthday s'prise,
I like t' go out ridin' an' ist wear my little cap
But when I'm tired an' sleepy, w'y, I want my mamma's lap.

I like t' 'tend my playhouse—its th' finest place in town
I like t' play big lady wif long skirts a-hangin' down,
I like t go t' Sunday school an' wear my new silk wrap,
But when a lump gets in my throat I ist want mamma's lap —Leslie's Weekly.

The Ole Dinner Bell.

There s music in the lowin' of the cattle on the hills,
An' in the lazy laughter of the waterfalls an' rills,
In the singin of the bluebird an the hummin of the bee,
An' the ole woodpecker peckin' on the holler sugar tree
There's music in the blossom an' the clear blue of the sky,
In the screamin of the chicken hawk a-circlin way up high,
But the sweetest songs of June time ain't nowheres near a smell
To the music 'long at noontime of the ole dinner bell

When plowin' in the distant fields, clean out o sight o' home,
A-wishin', too with all your heart that dinner time would come,
You watch the furries stretch away aroun' the lower bend
An' potter round a bit before you start for t'other end,
An' you bend your head and listen to ketch the welcome sound
An' calc'late it s purt nigh noon by shadders on the ground,
When through the hazy atmosphere, your longin' to dispel,
Comes the furoff silv ry music of the ole dinner bell

When the harvest day is over an' the toilers' work is done,
Over wavin corn an' clover tinted by the settin' sun,
Low an' sweet the distant music of the ole bell floats along,
Borne upon the evenin' breezes, mingled with the reapers' song,
An' you look across the medder, past the ole crick windin' through,
Where the ringer sweet is waitin' with a welcome there for you
Oh, there ain't no joys of summer that can strike you quite so well
As the ringin, when you're hungry, of the ole dinner bell —Edwin C Davis in Indianapolis News.

The Cry of the Agnostic.

Sometimes I think that it were best
To simply stop, that one were blest
To lay aside his cars and rest

With weary brain too tired to keep
His thoughts, with eyes too tired to weep,
To put away his cares and sleep

Within his silent bark to be
Borne onward to the farther sea,
All dreamless, to eternity;

While all the ages past him sped,
A voiceless silence overhead,
Dead, dead, forever, ever dead.

No more to see the smiles and tears,
No more to feel the hopes and fears,
No more to hear with weary ears

The bitter wail, the human cry;
No more to see with weary eye
Life s sad procession pass him by,

No more to feel the quick pang start,
No more with those he loves to part,
No more to bear the broken heart.

But through the world and its increase
And through the world to its decrease
To be at everlasting peace

I've thought that it were better so;
But whether to such a fate we go
I cannot tell; I do not know
—J A Edgerton in St Louis Mirror

Sunshine.

The air is full of a witchery, silent, unfelt and unseen,
Yet it touches the black pine woods, and they flash to a riot of green
It breathes on the diffident birches, and, lo, they are dancing in white,
And it paints on the slopes of the barren fields a picture of delight.

I do not know what the magic is, but I think I have seen the same
In a quiet life, a transparent life, and the world knows not her name,
But, herself unnoted, a touch a breath, where the sad and the sullen were,
And the dark is light, and the gloom is bright, at the very thought of her.

I do not know what the magic is that dwells in her quickening face,
No book have I to the witchery that wraps her around with grace,
But this I know, be it mirth or woe, where her blessed feet have trod
There widens out in the hearts of men the beautiful peace of God.
—Amos R Wells.

A Song For All Weathers.

A song for all weathers—the dark and the bright—
The splendor of light and the shadow veiled night!
All weathers are one when the world's heart beats right—
A song for all weathers, my dearie!

A song of all weathers! The dark clouds may rise
And dim with their blackness the blue of the skies,
But the light of the world is the light of your eyes—
A song for all weathers, my dearie!

Love's song for all weathers, sweet wafted along
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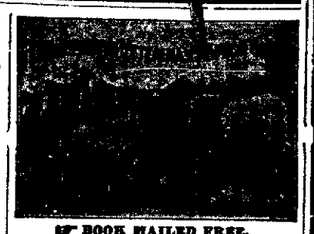

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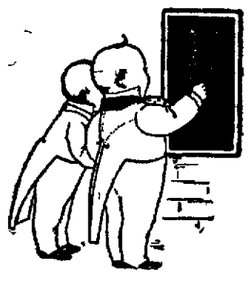

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Sunday Trains.—*6 44, 7.00, *8.11, 8.55, *10 29, *11.53 A. M. 12 54, 4.24, 5.36, *7.23, 8.00, *8 28, 8 85, 9 19 *11 22 P. M.

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Leave Bristol for Trenton, week days, 1 05, 5 24 6 57, *7 38, 8 29, *8 43, 10, 9 41, 11 41 A. M. 12.47, 12 14, 3 20, *4 07, *5 34, 6 18, *6.41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 11 and *10 52 P. M 12 08 night.

Sunday Trains — 1 05, 3.24, *8 28, *9 09, 9.22 10 04 A M 2 49, *5.57, *7 08, *7.46 and *10 52 P M.

Leave Trenton for Bristol, week days—*2 24, 6.30, 7.20, *7 52, *9 05, 9 33, *10 18, 11 54 A M, *12 59, 2 45, 3 52, 5 25, *7.10, 7 57, 9 01, 11 08 P M.

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Leave Bristol for New York—1 05, 3 24, 6 57, *7 38, 9 16, 11 41 A. M., *2 14, *5 34 6 41, *10 52 P M

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Saturdays—6 00, 8 00, *9 00 *10 00, *10 40, 11 15 a m, 12 30, *1 30, *2 30, *3.00, *3 40, *4 30 *5 20, *6 30, *7 40 p m

Sundays—8 00 *9 00, *10 00, *10 40, 11 15, a m, 1 30, *4 30, *5.20, *3 00, *3 40, *4.30, *5 30, *6 30 *7 45 p m

Leave Burlington—6 30, *8.30, *1 30 *12.20 11 00, 11 30 a m, *1 00, *2.40, *3.00, *4.00, *5.00 5 40, 6 40, 7.30 p m

Saturdays—6 30, *8.30, *9.30, *10 20, 11 00 11 30 a m, *1 00, *2 00, *2 40, *3.30, *4 00, *4 50 5 40, *6 40, 7 50 p m

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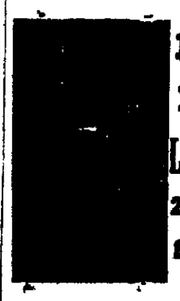

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